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Will Sharon Ever Forgive Nick?

Nicholas is determined to win back Sharon's affections and put his family together again. But can she meet him halfway? "He's going to really have to pull out all the stops," muses Sharon Case, the wronged wife's portrayer. "He may have to crawl through glass."

The In Depth Story: Maybe. But this week Nick attempts to appeal to the love Sharon once had - and still may have — for him. He tries to kiss his wife, but she pulls away. Her lack of enthusiasm prompts him to admit to Victor that he's wondering if his marriage really could be over.

Worse for Nick, his stepdaughter, Cassie, phones to tell him how much she loves and misses him. Nick is so devastated that he has no compunction about calling Tony to ask him to plead scenes, Alice is gathering



Nick's attempt to reconcile with Sharon goes up in smoke this week on Y&R. Will he be able to find the key to her heart?

Tony tells Nick that he has as much nerve as money. considering the fact that he slept with Tony's fiancée,

Things grow more tense for Sharon as Cassie wants to know why she couldn't own ideas about how to call Millie. Finally, Sharon relents, and the little girl writes her grandma a letter.

Meanwhile, behind the

his case with Sharon. But steam. She already had met with Grace once to find Sharon, and this week, Alice asks Grace if compensation would help jar her memory. Her persistence sends Grace to Michael for advice.

> Meanwhile, Al has his make Grace cooperate. The new year may bring new heartache to Sharon and Nick, unless they work together to save their family.

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THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

Scotti Excited About Exit!

Nick Scotti (Tony) has no regrets about his decision to depart Y&R. "I feel great about leaving," he tells Soaps In Depth. "Sure. I'm a little nervous. but I'm excited, too."

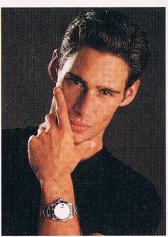
The In Depth Story: The actor-singer, who joined the soap in 1996 and last airs this month, actually had planned to stick with Y&R for one more year. "I approached [Y&R executives] in November with what I wanted, which was another year on the show with outs to do movies and pilots," says the up-and-comer, who won raves for his role in the 1997 sleeper hit Kiss Me Guido. "[But] we couldn't work it out."

Scotti concedes that having had to turn down a role in last fall's independent film 54 led him to seek greater freedom in his Y&R contract, "I didn't know where I stood as an actor, and I wanted to be able to do other things. I have two movies under my belt. and I figured I'd get other offers. I really needed more freedom."

But Scotti says that despite his failure to strike a new deal, he leaves the show on good terms. "Y&R was an incredible experience, almost the pinnacle in my life," he says. "It changed me and taught me to be more disciplined."

Scotti especially is grateful to senior executive producer and cocreator William J. Bell, and executive producer Ed Scott. "I learned so much, and it's been great working with Ed Scott and Bill Bell, the directors and producers," he says, adding, "The show also helped me pay off my bills, which was great."

Despite all of the fond memories, though, Scotti admits that it's doubtful that he would return to the show in the near future. "I'm go-



Scotti almost stayed on Y&R for another year, but the deal ultimately fell apart.

ing in a new direction. Even if the producers came to me and said they'd worked things out, I've already made too many other plans. And my mindset is a little different now."

As it is, the role of Tony is being recast. Although not confirmed by Y&R, several soap alumni — including Les Brandt (ex-Rafael, AN-OTHER WORLD) and Ricky Paull Goldin (ex-Dean, AW) - already have tested for the part.

GUIDING LIGHT

Nadine Returns To Soaps! Is GL Next?

Jean Carol (ex-Nadine) will make a cameo appearance on SUNSET **REACH** later this month as Florence, a nurse who may have information on Trey's kidnapping. Could a return to GL as the beloved Nadine be far behind?

The In Depth Story: If ever Buzz could use a good dose of his spunky former wife, it's now, when he still is reeling from the death of his latest spouse, Jenna. There's just one problem: Nadine was brutally murdered in 1995 by nutball Brent Lawrence. But this, after all, is daytime, "They haven't contacted me.' Carol tells Soaps In Depth. "I love GL, but I think as far as they're concerned, I'm dead." A GL spokesperson says that there are no plans for Carol, or Nadine, to pop up in Springfield in the near future.

However, Carol will re-



turn to daytime later this month to get a massage from Eddie Cibrian (Cole. SUN). "[Our scene] is a takeoff of Living Out Loud," the actress says, referring to the film in which Cibrian gave Holly Hunter an erotic rubdown. "My character Carol says she'd consider returning to GL.

goes for a massage and mistakes Cole for the masseur. And he uses it to get information."

The similarities between Living Out Loud and the SUN spoof end at the massage table, however. While Cibrian was practically

naked in the film, the actor was fully clothed this time around, "Unfortunately," laughs Carol, "I had a lot less clothes on than he did" in the episode, which airs on Friday, January 22. "I wish it had been the other way around."

Derwin On OLTL!

Mark Derwin (ex-Mallet) is joining the cast of ONE LIFE TO LIVE in the contract role of Ben Davidson. He will begin airing in February.

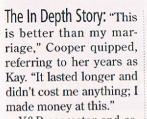
Derwin is back, but not on GL.



THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

Cooper Celebrates 25!

Jeanne Cooper (Katherine) got much more than a gold watch when she celebrated a major milestone in her davtime career: 25 years as Genoa City's brash and sassy socialite. Producers, cast, crew, press and invited quests gathered to pay tribute to the veteran actress.



Y&R cocreator and senior executive producer William I. Bell was on hand to point out lovingly that the woman whose character struggled with demons was herself in the fight of her life. "Just as Katherine fought the bottle, so did Jeanne," he said. "But her determination and strength made the difference."

Executive producer Ed Scott even broke into song. He brought down the stage with his own special rendition of Gershwin's "'S Wonderful:" "She's wonderful. she's marvelous, she's always, nice, she's paradise," Scott sang. "She's



Members of the Y&R family, including Bill and Lee Phillip Bell (top), gathered to pay tribute to Cooper for her incredible 25 years of service to the soap.

made our lives so glamorous, we can't help but feeling amorous. This 25, so glad she's alive. Ms. Cooper, congrats to thee."

Co-star Peter Bergman (Jack) thinks Cooper's appeal lies in her irreverence. "She's bawdy," he says. "She's a kick."

Don Diamont (Brad) concurs. "She's such a throwback, sort of a cross between Barbara Stanwyck and Mae West. It's the whole package: the voice, the look, the nails. She's a tough lady, and I mean that in the most endearing sense. And the vulnerability makes you love her."

A grateful Cooper insisted that as her peers and friends go through life, they always should remember to "enjoy what they do. That's key."



GUIDING LIGHT

Will Danny Really Kill

An eye for an eye is the Santos family motto. As a result, this week, Danny must carry out his Mobconnected family's order to kill Michelle. There's just one hitch: The girl he must murder is the same one with whom he's falling in love!

The In Depth Preview: As the week begins, Drew is beside herself with guilt for informing Danny that Michelle killed Mick. Drew fears that she has placed her rival's life in danger — and she has! Danny takes Michelle to the beach and forces her to confess.

Being at the murder site unnerves Michelle. and she begins to unravel, repeatedly apologizing to Danny for killing Mick. When Danny



Drew's confession lands Michelle in cold water this week.

background, he spirits Michelle off of the beach and takes her to the docks. Then, Dietz, one of the Santos family henchmen, arrives and reminds Danny that according to the clan's code of revenge, Michelle must be killed.

After instructing Dietz to go back and make sure that he wasn't followed. Danny steers Michelle to the edge of the dock. When Dietz hears a sudden gunshot and the sound of a body splashing into the water, he assumes that Michelle

hears police sirens in the : has been taken care of.

Danny quickly pulls Michelle out of the lake. She is scared and confused as to why he told her to fake being shot, but nevertheless is grateful for his saving her life. Danny tells Michelle not to thank him yet: He may have saved her life by acting on impulse, but they aren't out of harm's way - not by a long shot!

Later, Danny figures out a way to get both himself and Michelle out of this mess. But will his plan save them — or get them both killed?!

AS THE WORLD TURNS

Carly **Delivers!**

It's New Year's Eve in Oakdale this week. which means that Carly's \$50-million deadline has arrived. Just as the scheming mom-to-be gives up on her payday, nature steps in and sends Carly into premature labor! Will her bundle of joy arrive in time to net her a bundle of cash as well?

The In Depth Preview: Last week, Carly convinced lack to hide her at his place, to keep John from meddling in her life. John eventually tracks her down, though, and the prospective parents immediately launch into a heated squabble about their baby's welfare. Carly insists that she has given up on netting the \$50-million trust fund, and is focused on the baby's wellbeing, but a skeptical John scoffs at her change of heart. He tries to take her home, but a New Year's Eve ice storm has rendered the roads impas-



Carly ushers in 1999 with a bang this week on ATWT.

mother's favorite person — to bring her baby into the world!

With lack serving as her coach, and John handling things on his end, Carly winds up giving birth to a baby boy... and at 11:59 p.m., no less! Carly is doubly thrilled to produce a healthy son as well as meet the \$50-million deadline. She and John set aside their differences momentarily to admire the beautiful result of their unorthodox efforts, but when the ambulance arrives. Carly returns to her snippy ways and refuses to let John take the baby. Jack steps in and makes peace between the couple, and everyone heads to the

hospital. Once there, however, the matter of the paternity test quickly comes to a head. Will it confirm that John is really the father of Carly's baby? Or is a surprise in store for the new mom?

sable, so they're stuck with Jack and Julia.

John and Carly continue to bicker like a married couple when suddenly she starts to go into labor! At first, he thinks that she is putting on a show, but it soon becomes clear that this is the real deal. Since the ambulance is detained by the storm, the whole group is faced with the job of delivering the baby!

Carly wants Jack in charge of the childbirth, but he's the one person there who don't know nothin' 'bout birthin' no babies. Julia has experience from delivering Lily's daughter, but her flashbacks to that haunting experience with David make her start to freak out and, naturally, hesitant to help. So it's left up to John qualified as a doctor, but not exactly the expectant



GUIDING LIGHT

Zaslow Memorial On January 25

Michael Zaslow (David, ONE LIFE TO LIVE; ex-Roger, GL) will receive a public memorial later this month. The actor died at his home in New York City on Sunday, December 6, 1998, after a courageous battle against ALS (Lou Gehrig's disease). He was 54.

memorial will be held on Monday, January 25, at New York City's Royale Theater to benefit ALS research. The event which will include a reading of A.R. Gurney's Love Letters, with Alec Baldwin (Billy, THE DOCTORS), as well as a celebration of Zaslow's life - is being sponsored by ZazAngels, the ALS research fundraising organization that Zaslow founded with the help of family and friends. Since being diagnosed last year with the deadly muscle disease,

The In Depth Story: The his time to raising awareness of and resources for ALS research.

> While Zaslow had exstage cred-

its, including stints on Broadway in Cat On A Hot Tin Roof, Fiddler On The Roof and Onward Actor for his work. Victoria, he remains best known for his work in daytime. For nearly two decades, he portrayed the villainous businesshe had devoted much of man, Roger Thorpe, on

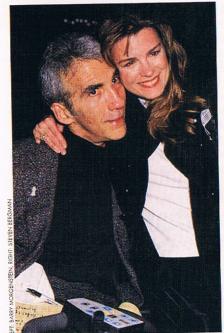


"Michael's was not a causal presence," says tensive Jill Farren Phelps. "We will never forget him."

GL, and earned a 1994 Daytime Emmy Award for Outstanding Leading

"On behalf of GL, we would like to express our heartfelt condolences to Michael Zaslow's family," says a show spokesperson. "Our hearts and prayers go out to Mi- on-screen. chael's wife, Susan, and their two daughters."

More recently, Zaslow reprised his OLTL role of pianist David Renaldi, which he made popular from 1983 to 1986. The soap chose to incorporate Zaslow's illness into David's storvline. According to an ABC spokesperson, no decision has been made as to how Zaslow's death will be dealt with



"Michael was a courageous, strong fighter," says Fiona Hutchison (ex-Jenna) of her former GL husband. "I will miss him."

"Michael was a wonderful friend, a magnificent actor, and a fighter from the day I met him almost 25 years ago," says former GL and current OLTL executive producer Jill Farren Phelps. "He fought for what he believed in, in good times and in bad - and his tenacious commitment to excellence made a difference in the lives of all

> who had the privilege of working with him. We will miss him very much."

Zaslow is survived by his wife, Su-Hufsan ford, and their two daughters, Marika and Helena Hufford-Zaslow. Donations can be sent to ZazAngels. Wall Street, Suite 428, New York, N.Y. 10005.

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ANOTHER WORLD

Why Matt Crane Really Came Back!

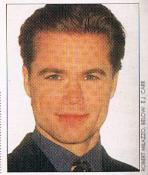
return to daytime just to collect a paycheck. The actor, who in December reprised the role he originated in 1988, admits that he's back playing Matt simply because... well, there was no good reason not to.

The In Depth Story: "All the money in the world couldn't bring vou back to a place that you didn't want to come back to," Crane tells Soabs In Depth. "I never really thought that I would be coming back here, but life presents an opportunity, and you ask yourself. 'Why not?'"

A lot has changed since Crane left AW nearly two years ago. For starters, the role of Matt has been recast twice, first with Brian Krause, then with Jeff Phillips. And the

Matt Crane (Matt) did not : character has undergone a bit of a transformation as well. When Crane departed, Matt was a single man looking for success and love. Now, not only is he an executive at Cory Publishing, but he also is married to Lila and the father of her infant daughter!

> Still. Crane says that he hasn't had any difficulty readjusting to the new, grown-up Matt. "It's actu-



Crane couldn't pass up the chance to return to AW.

ally not that bizarre," he says. "It's not that strange because I love kids and I love babies, and I love working with that little baby."

Barrett Returns... But In What Role?

Alice Barrett-Mitchell, who played the beloved Frankie Frame Winthrop from 1989 until the char-

1996, will return to AW be-

Is she Frankie... or someone else?

ginning in early February. A show spokesperson would not reveal whether Barrett-Mitchacter's brutal murder in ell would be reprising

her role as Frankie or if she will be stepping into a new part.

ONE LIFE TO LIVE

A Little Miracle For The De Paivas' Son

Kassie De Paiva (Blair) and husband James (Max) are filled with hope this week, as their son, J.Q., will hear his first words clearly. The child, who was diagnosed last June with severe-to-profound hearing loss, will have his cochlear implant turned on for the first time.

The In Depth Story: "It's the closest thing to a miracle." effuses Kassie De Paiva of the technology that will allow her 19month-old son to hear and communicate with others. "The cochlear implant is very fascinating."

In mid-December, I.Q. underwent two hours of implant surgery. The procedure uses electrodes to convey sound to Oprah in October. the cochlea, the

part of the inner ear responsible for relaying information to the brain's auditory nerves. On Tuesday, January 5, I.Q.'s cochlear implant which at first will work in tandem with a traditional hearing aid in his right ear — will be activated.



Kassie De Paiva and her hearingimpaired son, J.Q., appeared on

"It will take another learning process because he has to learn to hear again," explains De Paiva. "It won't be sound like you and I hear, but he will be able to hear the higher frequencies, which will allow him to understand consonants. That's what defines words, not so much the vowels."

Despite the aggressive approach — the surgery left a four-and-a-half-inch scar behind J.Q.'s ear -De Paiva feels strongly that the benefits of the implant were just too hard to ignore. "These specialists do it all the time," she says, "and although there are always risks involved, the hope outweighs the risks."

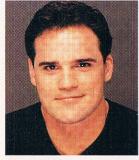
OLTL Casting News

Missi Pyle will play the role of Astrid, the beautiful decoy in Blair's plot against Téa. Pyle's first air date is Wednesday, January 6. • Jamie Gustis will play the role of Okie, a classmate of Will's. Okie tries to get Will to hang out and drink at the Student Union. Gustis begins airing on Friday, January 8. • Jenna Stern will appear as Mrs. Linda Kasarijian, the di-

rector of the adoption agency who meets with Jessica and Viki. Stern's first air date is Monday, January 11. • Tom Stechschulte will play Dr. Posner, Cassie's caretaker at Llanview Hospital, beginning Monday, January 11. • Ned Van Zandt will appear as Dr. Redmon when Dorian checks Cassie into St. Anne's beginning Wednesday, January

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Park, who created the role of Jack Snyder in April 1997, has re-signed with the show for another two years.



Park will stay with ATWT 'til the year 2000 and beyond.

Due to give birth at press time, Kelley Menighan Hensley (Emily) began her maternity leave in late December. A show rep said that Hensley will air through mid-January, but couldn't confirm her return date.

He's baaaack! Daniel Markel will be returning to the role of David Stenbeck "for an A extremely brief period of time" beginning Tuesday, January 12, according to a show spokesperson. Although Holden and Julia buried the dead-as-a-doornail David in late September, the show says that Markel will not return as a ghost.

Yvonne Perry returns as Rosanna on Tuesday, January 12.

BOLD & BEAUTIFUL

Hollywood increasingly is



Exactly how David returns on ATWT remains a mystery.



Bruckner is a free agent now that she's left B&B.

growing interested in rising star Agnes Bruckner. That, in a nutshell, is the reason the actress decided to leave her B&B role of Bridget.

The In Depth Story: According to the actress' manager, Ken Jacobson. Bruckner was itching to explore new career opportunities. "There's starting to be a lot of interest in her from feature films and primetime television, and so we really felt very strongly that it was time for her to move on," says

Jacobson, who commended B&B for releasing Bruckner from her contract. "The show was great. They were really wonderful to let her go, because they didn't have to. They understood that she really felt that this was important for her life and for her career, so they cooperated. We're really grateful for that."

Bruckner last aired on B&B on January 4. According to a show representative, the role could be recast.

GUIDING LIGHT

Now that Mary Kay Adams has reprised her role as India on GL, could the vamp's daughter, Dorie, be far behind? "I honestly don't think they want to bring Dorie back," Adams tells Soaps In Depth. "We've established that she's in boarding school in Switzerland, so I don't know that there would be a lot of opportunity."



D'Arbanville has signed a contract to remain on GL.

Patti D'Arbanville has been upped from recurring to contract status as Selena.

William Bumiller last airs on Monday, January 11, when Sean returns to his island.



Sean says a final goodbye to Springfield on GL next week.

Andrew Hussman will appear as Lance, a spa employee with insight into Teri's past, on Friday, January 8.

Brigitte Viellieu-Davis plays an ER nurse on Tuesday, January 5.

YOUNG & RESTLESS

Beverly Archer has been cast as Shirlev, someone who will add a comedic touch to the Chancellor home. A show spokesperson reports that the daytime newcomer will play an integral part in the Katherine/Jill storyline. Archer will begin airing on Tuesday, January 19.

Olympic gold medalist Tara Lipinski will arrive in Genoa City for a short stint sometime in February. A show spokesperson reports that the tiny figure skater, who is a big fan of the show, will play herself.

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AS THE WORLD TURNS

Carly Gives Birth!

It's time for the big push when, on Wednesday, January 6, Carly sets aside her scheming ways long enough to welcome her child into the world. Then, on Mon-



day, January 11, the results are in and the truth about her child's paternity will be told once and for all!



Alcohol makes for the most unlikely of partners, as is proven when, on **Thursday**, **January 7**, Molly agrees to cover for Andy, with the understanding that he will put a stop to his drinking. But is that a resolution Andy is prepared to keep?

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL



Brooke's New Goal

Brooke decides to approach Victor Newman about developing the new fragrance line.



Rick is furious with Amber for having fought with Kimberly.

Sally admits to Stephanie that she still loves "Adam."

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THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

Michael Gets New Info

Michael Baldwin learns that the child Grace brought back to Genoa City for a friend is Sharon's daughter. After realiz-

ing that the child is a Newman, he immediately becomes much more interested.

Victor tells Neil to stay close to Victoria, as he does not want his daughter getting

closer to her former husband, Cole.



Malcolm confronts Trey about Callie.

Paul and Chris help Mary and Charlie celebrate their engagement. It's a wonderfully happy occasion until

Paul sees his father!

GUIDING LIGHT

Hart Makes His Choice!

After months of being torn between two women, Hart realizes it's time for a decision. But when he finally gets together with Dinah to announce the fate of their union on **Thursday, January 7**, will he give her the answer she longs to hear or break her heart?





The start of the new year brings exciting news for newlyweds Harley and Phillip on Friday, January 8.

On Monday, January 11, Jesse is devastated when Michelle makes a confession which will rock her beau right to the core.

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GENERAL HOSPITAL

Edmund confesses that he feels more than friendship for Kit on Friday, January 8.

ALL MY CHILDREN

On Thursday, January 7, Palmer and Opal's marriage is strained further when he accuses her of having an affair.



ONE LIFE TO LIVE

Nora decides on Friday, Jan-

uary 8, that Bo needs to know the truth. Will she confess to her infidelity with Sam?





Still reeling from learning the truth about his paternity. Nikolas takes on Stefan and Laura on Tuesday, January 5.

Robin is thrilled by Sonny's return to Port Charles, but her good will goes sour on Friday, January 8, when Sonny accuses Jax of killing Brenda.

PORT CHARLES

Kevin strikes back at his captor on Wednesday, January 6.

On Friday, January 8, Lucy and Kevin share a special moment.



PREVIEW DATES FOR ABC AND NBC SHOWS

ANOTHER WORLD

Vicky's situation worsens on Wednesday, January 6, when, hidden in Marley's basement, her life hangs in the balance.

Amanda gets a visitor on Friday, January 8. How will the unexpected arrival impact her relationship with Cameron?



DAYS OF OUR LIVES

As the trial winds down, Sami's past comes back to haunt her when Marlena is forced to testify against her on Thursday, January 7. Will Sami ever be able to forgive her mother?

Also that week, Shawn-D escapes his kidnappers, but is further endangered when he ends up in icy water. Will Bo and Hope be too late to save their son?





SUNSET BEACH

Ben helps Maria piece together details about the night she nearly drowned. Will her memory finally return? Find out on Friday, January 8.

Cole is less than thrilled with the news Francesca shares with him on Wednesday, January 6.



If birthday parties are a celebration of life, then the Tylo clan no doubt will be pulling out all the stops come January 15. That's when baby Katya, the littlest member of the family, turns 1 year old. Moreover, it's a day that her mother, Hunter Tylo, thought might not come. When her daughter was diagnosed with retinoblastoma, a rare form of eye cancer that prompted the removal of Katya's right eye last spring, she feared the worst.

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Suffice it to say, 1998 was not a banner year for the Tylos. But the actress, who plays THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL's hopelessly romantic psychiatrist Taylor Forrester, is confident that the new year holds much promise. In fact, although doctors had warned her and her actor-husband, Michael (wellknown for his work as twin brothers Blade and Rick on THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS, and Quint on GUID-

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL

ING LIGHT), that Katya might be blind in her left eye and probably wouldn't begin to crawl or walk before her first birthday, the child already is proving the experts wrong. "Not only is she crawling, she's now walking along furniture, and she never bumps into anything," Mrs. Tylo marvels. "Her pacifier can be on the floor eight feet away, and she sees it and goes and gets it.

"Katya is very aware of who is holding her," she adds. "She looks at our face and immediately recognizes us and laughs."

The fact that Katya seems to have ample vision came as a Christmas present of hope to her mother. "Her vision is obviously good enough that as she gets older, we know she will probably be able to drive. I'm so thankful because she's doing so great." (continues)

Hunter Tylo reveals how faith, hope and love are leading her family to a brighter new year SOAPS IN DEPTH 21

Answered Prayers

The Tylos credit God for helping to pull their family through the ordeal while keeping Katya's deadly cancer at bay even when it looked to be a worst-case scenario, "We really trusted and believed, but we also know that however God wants to deal with this, we're going to have to accept that, too,"

The Tylos' faith in the power of prayer was validated when their doctor told them that the tumor that he had seen on Katya's optic nerve a week before no longer could be detected. "The doctor looked at her eye again and said. 'I don't know how to tell you this, but the tumor is gone.' It was kind of one of The Worst Of Times those things where God was just patting us on the back and saying. Trust me "

Despite the baby's remarkable turnaround. Tylo constantly is praying for Katva's health, just as she prays for the well-being of all of her children, she says. "With this disease, they will never determine Katva cancer-free until she is 3 years old. Once this genetic defect has occurred, any cell dividing in her retina for the next two years could go haywire, which is what a tumor is." So, once a month for the next two years, doctors will put Katya under

general anesthesia, dilate her pupil, and examine her retina to make sure that nothing is regrowing.

Still. Tylo is confident that God has his hand on Katya and will cure her completely. But she also recognizes the miracle that is modern medicine "I definitely want it out there in the public ear that yes, you have to have faith in God, but you can't be stupid," she declares "I'm not one of those fanatics who says. 'Hey. God can do it, and if it's not His will, she's going to die,' Doctors have an important role in what God's doing."

Imagine trying to force yourself to smile as you struggle through the most

catastrophic time of your life. That's exactly the situation that Tylo faced while playing Taylor during Katya's ordeal. For once, the beleaguered character's life was working out great, with a remarriage to Ridge and a healthy baby boy to boot. "It's so ironic," sighs Tylo. "I mean, for how many months had my character been traumatized and had scenes to cry in? But suddenly, she had just started to be happy and have great things to look forward to."

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Birthday: July 3. Yellow rose: Tylo grew up in Fort Worth, Texas.

Daytime denizen: Before B&B, Tylo (then going by the name Deborah Morehart) appeared on ALL MY CHILDREN as Robin McCall. Later, she joined DAYS OF OUR LIVES as Marina Toscano, a backfrom-the-dead wife who tried to pry apart Patch and Kayla.

Just the six of us: The Tylos' family is comprised of two sons, Christopher, 18, and Mickey, 10, and two daughters, Izabella and Katva.

Crawlspace: The Tylos recently moved into a new house with a larger family room, "Having two babies in the same age range, you need a lot of floor space," she savs.

Here's lookin' at her: In 1993, People magazine named Tylo one of the 50 Most Beautiful People In The World.



Above: "My oldest son, Chris. will be 18 this year, and Katya, 1." says Hunter, with Michael, Mickey and Chris in '93.



Tylo's mom joined her at a gala thrown for Rosie O'Donnell by Vistas For Blind Children.



Above: The actress' pregnancy with daughter Izabella was marred by her dismissal from MELROSE PLACE.

Katva's crisis had forced Tylo to fall behind in taping her scenes, and because of that, the dutiful actress felt the need to return to the set as quickly as

work. Emotionally, however, she really wasn't ready to return. "I thought that my whole world had come crashing down — I had nothing to look forward possible to start catching up on her to," she remembers. "It (continues)

was such a dark time in my life. I didn't think that I would be able to rise to the occasion to play these happy scenes."

In fact Tylo did lose it a little bit on her first day back at B&B, when a wellintentioned coworker tried to comfort her by telling her just to immerse herself in the character. "They totally meant nothing rude or mean by it," she

explains, "but I took it so personally. I thought, 'I just let a doctor rip my daughter's eve out of her head,

The Gift

Scott Thompson Baker offers Hunter Tylo the ultimate present

When Connor's former portraver found out that his friend and ex-B&B co-star was going through a crisis

with daughter Katva, he made the mom a generous offer. "Scott deserves some major accolades," Tylo says. "He didn't even know that this might be necessary, but he called me one day and said. 'You know, if the baby ever needs blood, I just wanted to tell you my type is A-positive, and I'm always an ideal donor for the Red Cross. If she needs it, I'd be happy to donate." As it happens, Katya was in dire need of a blood transfusion. "She was very gray and pasty," recalls Tylo. "You could see every blue blood vein. I didn't realize how sickly she looked." Although Tylo herself was also a perfect match, she did not meet the weight minimum required to donate blood. When she called Baker to take him up on his offer, he rushed straight to the hospital. "I saw his blood in the tube going into Katya's body, and within minutes, her lips got a beautiful cherry red and her little face got all rosy. She completely began to perk up and you could tell she felt like a million bucks." For Christmas, Tylo presented Baker with a picture of Katya in a frame with this inscription: "A little part of you will always be with me." Tylo says that knowing that her daughter received blood from a friend made her feel so much better about the situation. "People who give blood are giving life," she says. "It's truly a miracle that you give to someone."

and you think I can just move on and get lost in a soap opera? It's not gonna happen!"

Acting as a blissful newlywed and first-time mother made it nearly impossible for Tylo to separate her scenes from the fear and sickening worry that she felt for her own ailing daughter at home. "It was killing me some days,"

> the actress acknowledges, "Sometimes I had to go behind the set and try to pull it together. I'd see Ronn [Moss. who plays Taylor's husband, Ridgel looking at me. I knew that he was feeling bad because he knew that the lines I was saying were just the opposite of my real life."

Even though Tvlo went through the motions of being a happy camper all summer long on the set while her insides felt like shards of broken glass, viewers never saw even a glimmer of her personal turmoil reflected on-screen. Tylo can only sum up that remarkable achievement this way: "Thank God I can act!"





Above: "I don't want Ridge and Taylor to break up." says Tylo, "but it's good that he's having to get a little jealous [of Pierce]."

Finding The Silver Lining

Unfortunately. Tylo is no stranger to high anxiety. After being fired from the role of Taylor (which then went to Lisa Rinna) on MELROSE PLACE in 1996, the B&B star sued the primetime soap's boss, Aaron Spelling, for pregnancy discrimination. (She was expecting Izabella when she was let go, then was expecting Katva when the case was heard.) Last year, when Tylo won nearly \$5 million in the settlement, she vowed to use the money to help other pregnant women and mothers. "No woman should have to choose between a job and a child, or a boyfriend and a child," she asserts. "A woman should never feel that she has to give up her child."

Through her new charity, Chosen Child, Tylo hopes to assist expectant women in finding the financial means and emotional support to care for their child when it otherwise may have been

impossible. "A lot of organizations help women get through the pregnancy," she notes. "We want to also help women once they have their child."

Tylo and the Chosen Child board members have been brainstorming an innovative idea to grant women a scholarship of sorts for daycare. "We also want to be able to give information and legal assistance for women who are being discriminated against in the workplace," the actress says. "I didn't realize how rampant it is until it (continues)



happened to me. We're finding out that sometimes that we go through those we're very needed, and I'm excited about it."

1997's highly-publicized legal battle is

vet another instance of turning a bad life experience into something positive. "We don't like things that cause us to suffer, but there are reasons

things," she ventures. "I've taken two negatives in my life, and I'm turning it Tylo says that her experience with around to help others. It certainly makes me feel vindicated when I do."

Hate at First Sight The Tylos trod a rocky road to romance

Hunter and Michael Tylo seem like the perfect married couple today, but back in the late 1980s, when they met on

the set of ALL MY CHILDREN where he was playing adventurer Matt Connolly and she was playing spitfire Robin McCall they all but spit venom at each other. Here's how the actress describes their first impressions of each other: "He had this image of me that I was some sort of 'fast laner' who had gotten pregnant and probably went out with a thousand different guys, dragging my child everywhere. In reality, I was a single, divorced mom who had no interest in dating anyone. I was going home every night, feeding my son, and going to bed at nine o'clock." Of course, she admits, her perception of him was just as inaccurate. "He'd come to work with this 'I hate women' attitude. I thought, 'Okay, here's this guy who thinks he's hot stuff.' I think I called him a choice seven-letter word that begins with an 'a' and told him to stay out of my face." It was only after they got to know each other a little better that the two decided that they had a lot in common. "We had both kind of been let down by life, and we were putting up fronts for the world," she says. "But we got to be friends. Then I thought, 'Oh, he's not such a bad

were co-stars. guy. In fact, I've got to take care of him!' That's how we started falling in love."





Above: One of soaps' most familiar (and beautiful) faces, Tylo, with Winsor Harmon (Thorne) and Ian Buchanan (James), was a 1997 Daytime Emmy presenter.

Read All About It

As if this working mom didn't already have enough to keep her busy, Tylo just finished writing a book, due out in March. In it, she focuses on her most recent struggles, plus some rather dicey details about how her marriage with Michael almost ended a few years back. "I think people need to know that I'm a real person," she explains. "A lot of people are having marriage problems. I mean, look at our president. So I thought telling some of the problems that I had might help people relate."

Tylo admits that it was her marital strife that really sparked her newfound religious devotion. "My life was going to hell in a handbasket," she says. "Michael and I had a divorce that was going to be final in two months. We were going to lose all of our things, including our home. There came a really serious



Below: "My favorite scene is way back when Ridge took **Taylor on the** treasure hunt in the Virgin Islands," says the actress. "It really set up the emotion between them to this present day."

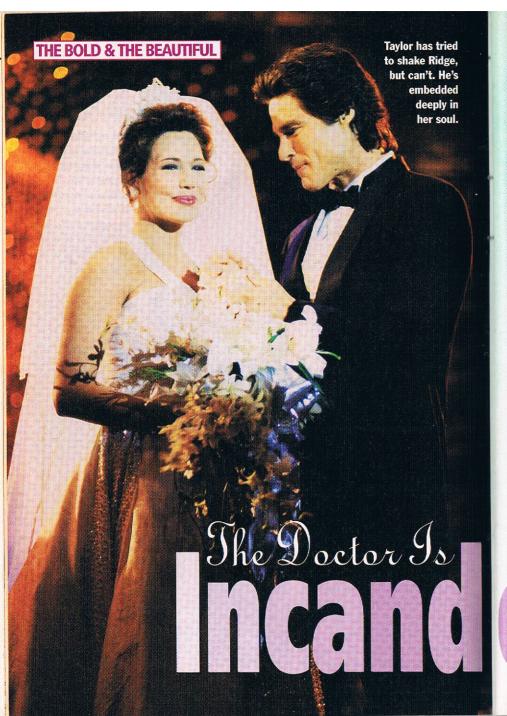


part where I asked God to help me fix my life, and He did. There's no way it could have turned around without Him."

Tylo knows that by discussing God in interviews, she opens herself up to questions about her faith. Yet she continues to be frank about her beliefs in the hope of helping others. "If it wasn't real, I wouldn't talk about it," she asserts. "I'm not trying to sell anything. I'm not a preacher. I just started seeing that when you speak to God, things really do start changing."

- Amy Helmes





or the beleaguered, beguiling
Dr. Taylor Forrester, life has
been much like medical
school — full of late nights,
heavy competition, and lots of
wounds that just won't mend.
Since arriving among Los Angeles' bold beauties nearly a
decade ago, this raven-haired darling has
made her living stealing, breaking, and
healing hearts all over the city. Of course,
no heart was filched faster, or crushed
more often, than the one beating within
her own chest — thanks to one
man... fashion designer Ridge Forrester.

Who brought the two together? Ironically, his dying wife, Caroline. Although the intelligent and kind Taylor took over Caroline's case, there was little that the good doctor could do. Caroline died in Ridge's arms after making the one request that would determine Taylor's destiny: Caroline wished for Ridge to make a new future for himself with his old flame, Brooke.

However, Taylor's feelings for the widower evolved from compassion to plain old passion. As her head spun, Ridge shuffled back and forth between Taylor and Brooke. Though at one point he even made love to Taylor, she began to see that Ridge was incapable of making a final choice. With a broken heart, she made the decision for him, and set him free.

Taylor Forrester goes under the microscope

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Tropical Heat

Traveling to St. Thomas to clear her head, Taylor sought time alone. But Ridge gave her



exactly the opposite of what she needed. He followed her to the island and made her an offer that she couldn't refuse — an offer to be his bride. She accepted, and together, the two flew back to Los Angeles to marry. The wedding went off without a hitch — a newly pregnant Brooke was too late to the chapel to object — and the jubilant couple jetted off again, this time for a honeymoon.

However, no sooner had Ridge and Taylor stepped over the threshold to their new home together in Los Angeles when Brooke entered with her new tummy and news, making marital bliss a dream that for Taylor would never come true.

Ridge and Brooke's business commitments overseas, their new baby, Bridget, and the entry of Ridge's old high school rival, Connor, into Brooke's life put a strain on Taylor and Ridge's marriage, forcing Taylor to second guess her husband's heart far too many times.

Add in the arrival of Dr. James Warwick, Taylor's old mentor — and the fact that she made love to him during an earthquake so that he would not die a virgin — and "happily married" wasn't the phrase

of the day for the Forresters. Actually, "easy out" could have been. Soon after the secret incident with James, Taylor's airplane crashed, leaving Ridge a widower once again — or so it seemed.

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Princess Bride

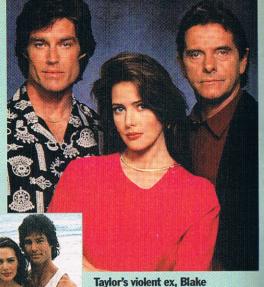
Amnesiac Taylor found herself in Morocco as Princess Laila, love interest to a possessive Prince Omar. The two wed, not knowing that rescue was on the way. Luckily, James had seen a photo of "Princess Laila" in the newspaper, and, convinced it was Taylor, flew to extricate her. He did, pulling her back to Los Angeles just in time to see her sick father and bring him back to health.

Reunions weren't happy all around, however. Brooke and Ridge were married, and Taylor's reappearance did little to change it — that is, until Ridge learned that Bridget was not his daughter and Brooke may have had a hand in changing the paternity tests.

The perfect opening for a Taylor/ Ridge reunion? Sure, until later when Ridge missed the rehearsal dinner for his own wedding to Taylor, leading the understandably upset bride to call off the engagement. She did give her intended one last chance, however, but



Amnesiac Taylor wed Prince Omar.



(above), complicated her budding romance with Ridge. Later. Ridge simplified matters by proposing to Taylor (left).

he blew that, too. So Taylor capped off the romantic din-

ner she had planned for the two of them by drinking one too many cocktails, passing out, and accidentally knocking over a lantern that set her house ablaze.

Luckily, Ridge's always loyal brother, Thorne, raced in at the last minute and saved Taylor from a fiery demise.

Thorne always had had a soft spot for his sibling's poorly-treated love. His rescue only increased their affection for one another. But was it enough to finally turn Taylor off from Ridge? Thorne was counting on it.





Thomas' birth (above) paved the way for Taylor to reunite with his daddy, Ridge. But now, she has confusing feelings for colleague Pierce (right).

Thorne At Her Side

The Forrester brothers jumped into the ring to win Taylor's love in a bout reminiscent of their rivalry over Caroline. Ironically, this battle involved a gunshot as

well. This time around, however, it was Brooke's latest husband, Grant Chambers, who took the bullet and Ridge who took the blame to protect the real assailant, Rick, Incarcerated, Ridge rejected Taylor. Her response? Tell him that the baby she carried wasn't his, but Thorne's.

The end result, though, was this: After giving birth to Thomas, Taylor finally con-

fessed that the baby was Ridge's. The new dad stepped forward to begin life with his new family, make peace with his old clan, and dump Brooke once and for all.

Taylor tried to pass off Ridge's baby as Thorne's.





Above: Bailey's trickery brought out the teenvbopper in Taylor.

Bewitched. **Bothered And** Bewildered

But wait. A new man,

Pierce Peterson, has arrived on the scene. And the handsome self-help guru immediately sensed that Ridge hasn't always been the wonderful husband that Taylor deserved. Should the newcomer woo his crush with flowers and candy, his dazzling psychiatric shows... or some good old hocus po-

Well, whether Pierce liked it or not, Taylor was wooed with the latter, thanks to the devious doings of henchman Bailey's hypnotism. But has Bailey's handiwork opened the door for Taylor to realize that Pierce really is the man for her? Keep your friends close, Ridge - and now more than ever, keep your wife closer. Once again, Taylor is at the eye of the storm.

On The Town Your CBS stars caught in the act!







▲ During the "Bright Lights Of L.A." tree lighting in December, Adrienne Frantz (Amber) snuck away to give her wish list to "Santa" Drake Hogestyn (John, DAYS OF OUR LIVES) while her B&B rival Ashley Lyn Cafagna (Kimberly) played with everyone's favorite purple dinosaur, Barney.



▲ Broadway vet and ATWT alum Rex Smith (ex-Darryl) has found himself on the stage once more at the Minskoff Theater in The Scarlet Pimpernel.



▲ B&B's Ian Buchanan (James) waited for his turn on the catwalk at L.A.'s House Of Blues for Blowout IX — A Hair Raiser For AIDS.



▲ GL's Carey Cromelin (Wanda) and Fiona Hutchison (ex-Jenna) held court with pro Mary Joe Fernandez at the sixth annual **Tennis Against Breast Cancer Celebrity** Challenge, recently held at New York City's Roosevelt Island Racquet Club.

On The Town continued Your CBS stars caught in the act!



▲ When the New York City winds get a tad too cold for comfort, Frank Dicopoulos (Frank, GL) and his wife, Teja Anderson, bundle up and cuddle close.



At a recent Beverly Hills luncheon, Y&R's Kate Linder (Esther) received a few free comedic pointers from veteran funnyman Sid Caesar.

Season's Greetings

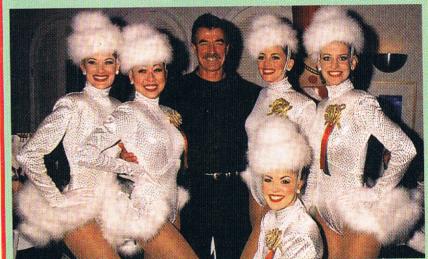
Before Christmas became a now-faded memory, the stars gathered on Hollywood **Boulevard for the 67th Annual Hollywood Christmas Parade.**





▲ Jacob Young (Rick, B&B) and Sharon Case (Sharon, Y&R) shared tidings of comfort and joy.

◀ It wasn't Mommy kissing Santa Claus. Rather, it was Y&R ladies Heather Tom (Victoria) and Sharon Case (Sharon).



▲ Eric Braeden (Victor, Y&R) had his hands full trying to keep those world-famous Radio City Music Hall Rockettes in line.

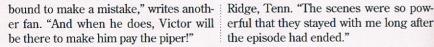
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THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

MICHAEL'S WEB

Suddenly, it seems as if Michael Baldwin has worked his way into the lives of nearly everyone in Genoa City, and viewers are loving it. "Michael is one spider who has lured some very big flies

into his web," writes Elaine Mitchell of Skokie. Ill. "He's befriended everyone from Kay Chancellor to Grace Turner, and that can only mean trouble!" But Michael could be playing a dangerous game. "Sooner or later, he's



have been greatly exaggerated." If so, the good people of Oakdale might want to brace themselves, because when a Stenbeck returns from the great beyond, he usually brings a healthy dose of animosity with him!



Jack is no fan of Michael's.

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GUIDING LIGHT

GOODBYE, JENNA

Many fans felt Buzz's pain as he cradled a dying Jenna in his arms. "I have not cried so hard since the death of Maureen Bauer," wrote Melissa O'Neill of Oak

er fan. "And when he does, Victor will erful that they stayed with me long after the episode had ended."

AS THE WORLD TURNS

THE STENBECK LEGACY

More than one viewer is beginning to suspect that ATWT's David isn't quite as dead as everyone in Oakdale is being led to believe. "Like father, like son," writes Terry Green of New York City. "I suspect that like James before him, the rumors of David Stenbeck's death

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL

REUNIONS

Although 1998 was a rough one for Macy, it's looking as if 1999 could be a banner year for the heroine! "Not only is her father back on the scene." says I. Kimmer of Kenner, La., "but she seems to be realizing Thorne was and is the perfect man for her." Could there be both a father and a husband in Macy's future?

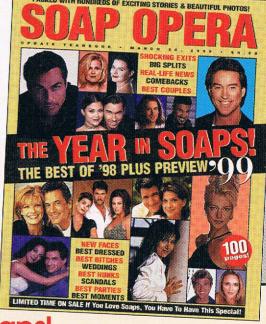
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AS THE WORLD TURNS

Last issue, we asked if John should stay married to Carly.



Reader Reaction

68% say these two troublemakers are perfect for one another.

32% are hoping Lisa puts up a fight for John, leaving Carly with her milliondollar baby, but no man!

This issue's question: Should Jack and Brad's mom stay in Oakdale?

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL

Last issue, we asked if you want to see Eric make Lauren the latest Mrs. Forrester.

Reader Reaction

71% sav Lauren is the perfect woman for Eric feisty, fun and intelligent!



believe that Eric belongs with his first wife, Stephanie.

This issue's question: Should Rick stay with Amber or pursue a relationship with Kimberly?

GUIDING LIGHT

Last issue, we asked if India should pursue new roomie Ross or ex-husband Phillip.



Reader Reaction

82% feel that sparks are flying between Ross and India.

18% want to see India try to reclaim her title as Mrs. Phillip Spaulding!

This issue's question: Which Springfield woman would you like to see Jim pursue?

TOP 5 COUPLES

- 1. Nikki & Victor Newman, Y&R
- 2. Taylor & Ridge Forrester, B&B
- 3. Brooke Logan & Ridge Forrester, B&B
- 4. Lily & Holden Snyder, ATWT
- 5. Reva & Josh Lewis, GL

THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

Last issue, we asked who should be in control of Newman Enterprises.

Reader Reaction

63% think that no one but Victor should be sitting in the captain's chair.

37% want to see Jack and Brad's takeover attempt suc-

ceed, then watch them battle each other!

This issue's question: Should Victoria pursue a life with Neil, or her former husband, Cole?

We want your opinion on what you'd like to see on the CBS soaps, as well as your votes for your favorite actor, actress and couple. Please send responses by January 14.





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TOP 5 ACTORS (as voted by Soaps In Depth readers)



Eric Braeden (Victor, Y&R) Last Issue: 1



Michael Park (Jack, ATWT) Last Issue: 4



Joshua Morrow (Nick, Y&R) Last Issue: 3



Ronn Moss (Ridge, B&B) Last Issue: 2



Jon Hensley (Holden, ATWT) Last Issue: 5

TOP 5 ACTRESSES (as voted by Soaps In Depth readers)



Melody Thomas Scott (Nikki Y&R) Last Issue: 2



Hunter Tylo (Taylor, B&B) Last Issue: 3



Katherine Kelly Lang (Brooke, B&B) Last Issue: 1



Kim Zimmer (Reva. GL) Last Issue: 5



Beth Ehlers (Harley, GL) Last Issue: 4

TOBE NOR INCOME TOBE

Springfield's
new Romeo
chose soap
stardom over
Shakespeare
and never

looked back

magine, two weeks before graduating from a prestigious arts school, you nail your GL audition and are offered a role mere minutes later. But, you are slated to appear onstage all summer in the New Jersey Shakespeare Festival. What's an actor to do?

When Terrell Tilford found himself in that predicament last spring, the actor admits that his was not an easy decision to make. "It came down to an artistic and personal need at the time," he recalls. "I am extremely attached (continues)

GUIDING LIGHT In Depth Interview Get clued in on Springfield's new gumshoe! It's a mother/daughter reunion for Selena! Up-Close & Personal46

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to the theater — that's what I was trained in. And I was extremely excited about the festival. But I certainly saw GL as a wonderful opportunity. Everything suddenly moved in fast-forward."

Since trading the Bard for Springfield, Tilford has become the third actor to por-

tray David Grant, While some may find reestablishing a beloved character a bit of a challenge (especially when the role garnered its originator, Monti Sharp, a Daytime Emmy), Tilford insists that he never gave it a second thought. "It's never been a factor to me. My job is to bring the script to life. I couldn't be concerned with what other actors did before me.

"And," he adds, "the fans have been very generous in accepting me in this role. You have to give them a lot of credit, too."

A Midsummer Night's Dream

As a youngster growing up in Los Angeles. Tilford knew that acting was what he wanted to do with his life. So, after earning a B.A. from the University Of California at Berkeley, he tried his hand in Manhattan. "I decided to apply to graduate school around the same time," he explains. "If I got in somewhere, I would consider the location and maybe go. But I was heading to New York anyway."

When Tilford landed at Rutgers University's Mason Gross School Of The Arts, he realized that the school's New Jersey location and close proximity to



Above: On GL. Vicky has turned David's head.

Left: Tilford, with fellow recast Ryan Brown (Bill), didn't want to copy his predecessors' work.

Gotham was "perfect."

While auditioning for roles during college, Tilford dreamed about life on a soap, but never saw himself as a contract player. "I would have eventually done underfives," he laughs, referring to day players who speak less than five lines. "I think that gifts are presented to us in life, and we have to decide whether or not to take them. This role is something that I couldn't have foreseen whatsoever."

All The World's A Stage

Something that Tilford can clearly foresee is the future of his character, beginning with stronger family ties. "There was always a great dynamic between David and his mother, with her constantly trying to infuse her personal values and her agenda onto his life. What I'd really like to see is a stronger relationship develop between David and his father," Tilford offers. "There is something to explore there, because a strong father figure certainly lacks in the African-American community."

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Tilford wouldn't mind playing that father figure himself, either. Hoping to bring a bit of an edge to his nice-guy character, the actor says that he would love for the P.I. to have an undiscovered child. "To find that David had a one-nighter with some wo-

man, then all of a sudden she comes back looking for him with their son. would be so exciting!" he exclaims. "David would have to fight his way into this kid's life, and deal with the moth-

For the time being, Tilford is keeping himself busy with other career goals. In between writing a screenplay and teaching acting, he works with the recruiting team at Mason Gross. "My immediate goal is to be shooting my own short film within two years," he declares. "I plan on doing it all: writing, directing, the whole thing. But my first love is acting, and I

er. too."

will do that forever." - Michelle Ann

DO NICE GUYS FINISH LAST?

David's pure-hearted peers may have the answer!

For most people, the sure way to the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow is walking the straight and narrow. But in daytime television, fighting the good fight is only half the battle. Soap opera characters can have reputations as sterling as detective David Grant's, and still have no better than 50/50 shots at ever seeing the bluebird of happiness nesting outside their bedroom windows. For instance, just look at how unpredictably the gumshoe's fair-minded fellow men from GL, AS THE WORLD TURNS, THE BOLD & THE BEAUTI-FUL and THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS have fared in the games of love and life.



ATWT's Holden Snyder: All Holden wanted out of life was to be with Lily. Years of her mother's meddling kept them apart, and they each subsequently married others. But finally, now they are together, with a brand new Hope (their aptly named daughter) for the future.



B&B's Thorne Forrester: Growing up in philandering brother Ridge's shadow wasn't easy for Thorne. Not only did Mom prefer Ridge, so did the women in their lives (Caroline and Taylor). Can it be only a matter of time before Thorne's current crush — ex-wife Macy — notices his playboy sib?



GL's Matt Reardon: The opinions of others meant nothing to Matt when he fell for older woman Vanessa. And he never gave up on his wife even when she died! But now, ironically, it's a relatively small thing (her career) that is prompting him to rethink their happy marriage!



Y&R's Tony Viscardi: In love with Grace, Tony patiently waited for her to accept his proposal. Once she finally did, she wasted no time hopping into bed with her married boss! Now, the mechanic sees that his engagement is beyond repair. Throw this relationship on the scrap heap!

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Selena's **Found Her** Daughter!

But her little princess would rather remain an orphan

Selena's wish to find her long-lost child in time for the holidays may have come true, but discovering that her daughter is bitchy Drew Jacobs has been more of a nightmare. Although Selena hopes that the new year will bring her and Drew a newfound love for each other, the former hooker best not hold her breath. If the initial bond-

ing sessions between these long-lost motherand-child teams are any indication, Selena will be spending her first Mother's Day in hell Consider:



When Alex began searching for the son Dinah's circus life embitshe was forced to tered her toward her mom. abandon, she never

grown baby living in Springfield - and a gang leader to boot! Lujack was less than thrilled to discover that he was just as aristocratic as the bluebloods that he had spent his entire life rebelling against, and it took quite some time be-



Left: Alex lost Lujack, but learned that he had a twin brother.

fore he softened toward Alex. Both mother and son were thankful for

their short relationship when Lujack was killed tragically soon after.



Years after Vanessa gave up her daughter, she discovered that Dinah was living in Springfield. Vanessa immediately informed Ross, who had no idea that he had fathered a child. Dinah instantly bonded with Ross, but carried a huge grudge against

imagined that she would find her now- Vanessa. (Being abandoned by your mother and being raised in a traveling carnival will do that to a young girl.) To this day, Dinah hasn't completely forgiven her mother. But at least the duo have managed to act in a civil manner when in the same room.



Left: Drew wants nothing to do with her secret Mommie Dearest.

Below: After the usual fussin' and feudin', **Dylan became** a real Lewis.



Sly Susan is trying to pair up adoptive father, Jim, with her biological mother.

ter, the infant daughter she gave away 12 years ago came knocking on her door. Daisy, now called Susan, had blossomed into a lovely young lady

and wanted to be part of her mother's life now that her adoptive mom had died and dad Jim paid her no attention. The Spauldings' pictureperfect marriage is now chock-full of problems as Susan grows more determined by the day to play

matchmaker with Jim and Harley. Only time will tell if Harley will be able to keep her new husband and her new daughter, too.

Reva And Dylan

Even though Reva was in love with Josh, she had a teenage fling with his older brother, Billy. Only her mother, Sarah, knew that Reva became pregnant. When a young man named Dylan drifted into Springfield many years later, Sarah realized that he was Reva's child, but kept his identity hidden. Finally, the truth came out, pitting brother against brother and husband against wife. Eventually, Reva, Josh and Billy put aside their differences, and Dylan became a welcome member of the Lewis family.

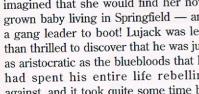
Harley And Susan

Just when Harley thought that her life as Phillip's new bride couldn't get any bet-

Selena And Drew

For months, Selena searched far and wide for the daughter she gave up at birth, only to discover that her baby was right under her nose - and is her boss at Millennium! While Selena is anxious to begin a relationship with Drew, the sassy young woman wants nothing to do with the former drug addict and prostitute. Yes, Selena has cleaned up her act, but will the spoiled little rich girl ever be able to accept her as a parental guide? Maybe, maybe not.





GUIDING LIGHT In Depth

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How many times have you filled out a contest entry form, knowing full well that there was only a one-in-a-million chance that you might win? This past summer, Margie Sammons of Fenton, Missouri, became that "one" when she was randomly selected as the grand prize winner in the Glade "Make A Scene With A Soap Star" contest.

"I got an entry form [at] a mall in St. Louis

and sent it in," explains the longtime GUIDING LIGHT fan. "A few months later. I got a call that I had won! I could not believe it!"

So what, exactly, did she win? Well, in late November, Sammons and her husband headed. all-expenses-paid. to New York City, where she had a GL walk-on part!

December 16," says Sammons, who played a customer at Buzz's eatery. Though she didn't have any lines, she



Above: Signy Coleman (Annie/ Teri) and Robert Newman (Josh) give Sammons the royal treatment.

Left: Sammons strikes a pose with Joie Lenz (Michelle).

was treated just like a bona fide soap star.

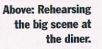
"The actors sat

"I was in a diner scene that aired on with me and explained how things would go," she says. "I had a rehearsal, and the show did my hair and my make-up. It was so thrilling!"

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Below: Jerry ver Dom (Ross) hosts a tour of the stars' dressing rooms.





Right: Kim Zimmer (Reva) shows Sammons around Cedars.

Sammons says the big surprise of the day was seeing how small the set actually is. "I expected it to be

so much larger!" she exclaims. "And I always thought that the actors had some type of TelePrompTer [to help



Chatting with Hunt Block (Ben).



Getting the star treatment in the salon.

them remember their lines]. But they have to know those lines by heart! It's a lot of work just to tape one show."

In-between scenes, Sammons spent her free time chatting with GL's stars. "There were so many there, and I took so many pictures with them," she reports. "It was a really wonderful experience."

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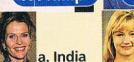
Springfield men change wives more often than they do shoes. To discover just how spouse-savvy you are, select the one woman whom each of these men never called his wife.























b. Beth





















5. What is the bond shared by Matt Reardon and Amanda Spaulding?

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big hit with women of a certain age. Coast escort service, Matt was her main attraction, a Amanda was the Malibu Madam, pimpette of a West 1. c. 2. d. 3. a. 4. b. 5. Move over, Heidi Fleiss! When



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Just Call Him

Hard-working Michael Park is thrilled to be spending his days in Oakdale and his nights on **Broadway**

Life is good for Michael Park. In less than two years, he's had the outrageous good fortune not only to land the plum part of Jack Snyder, but to see his character wind up in two, count 'em, two wildly popular Oakdale pairings. First, there was Jack's rousing ride with wild child Carly Tenney, which screeched to a halt when she dropped him hard to marry another man. Jack hopped the first train out of town, only to make sparks with Julia Lindsey, a beautiful stranger also running from love gone bad. And somehow, even with Carly always looming (and is that David Stenbeck in the bushes?), Jack and Julia's romance has managed to stay on track. One recent fan letter even suggested that Jack and Julia eventually could become as popular as

GENERAL HOSPITAL's Luke and Laura. Naturally, Park has given a good deal of thought to Jack and Julia and Jack and Carly and what makes both duos tick. With Jack and Julia, the trick may

that ultimate supercouple of the 1980s,

be the fact that she is the anti-Carly. "Julia

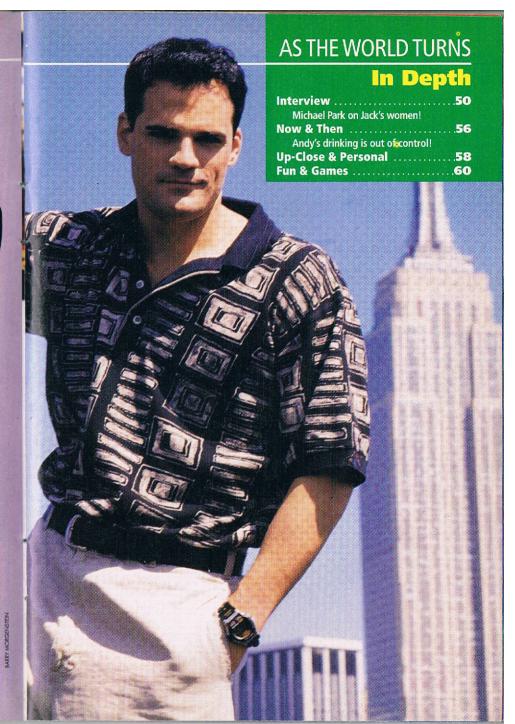
is very well thought out," the actor explains. "She always makes the right move for the good of everyone involved. Everyone else comes before her in that decision, which is rather noble."

However, Park's admiration for co-star Annie Parisse (Julia) makes him hesitant to predict a lasting love affair for their characters. "Let's face it," he says, "Annie is quite brilliant, young, and marketable. So I don't know if Jack and Julia are going to make it."

Besides, only a fool would count out Carly just vet. "I definitely don't think Jack and Carly's story is over. As long as it's interesting and fun, it will always be there. No audience member can deny the fact that when those two are alone in a room, there's not that thought going through their head: Will it ever work?"

Park concludes with a tease. "I think Jack and Carly's story is just beginning."

(continues)



Feature Interview continued

Show Stopper

Besides being lucky in love in Oakdale, Park is Lucky on Broadway as well. In Neil Simon's Little Me, his hipswiveling stud sheds his shirt and belts out a seductive serenade for stage legend Faith Prince. In fact. Entertainment



The Parks' son, Christopher, started walking at 11 months. "Now he loves to jump," laughs Dad.

Hometown: Canandaigua, N.Y.

Yep, that was Me: ATWT fans are

sometimes startled to see Park

moonlighting on Broadway. "Some

lady wrote that she was very sur-

prised to see me in Little Me be-

cause she had no idea Jack could

Under his skin: "I've got a joker

tattoo on my ankle, so every Christ-

mas, my wife buys me a harlequin

Oh. brother! Park is eager for sib-

ling Rob finally to meet friend and

castmate Jon Hensley (Holden).

"They have the same sense of

humor, and I'm the brunt of every

single joke either one of them has

to tell," admits Park, "But I'm happy

to be that clown for them."

Birthday: July 20.

dance!"

ornament."

"That makes me feel great," he says. "The Hollywood Reporter singled me out as well, but then again so did the New York Post, saving that I was 'lacking in charm.' I was like, When do I have time to be charming?!' My job is to get on stage, set up Martin [Short] and Faith, then leave!"

Nonetheless, the power of the press isn't lost on Park. "If vou believe the good reviews, you've got

Weekly claims that his performance "al- itions, I felt extremely lucky. And after

most steals the first act." The actor plays you get your first gig, and people come to it cool when presented with the review. see you and your name gets tossed

> lucky again in that with that."

Still, Park notes that there is a difference between luck and pure chance. "I think people create their own luck. I had to be in New York at the right time and place to get my first Broadway work, and it snowballed from there. So, in that sense, you could call

to believe the had."

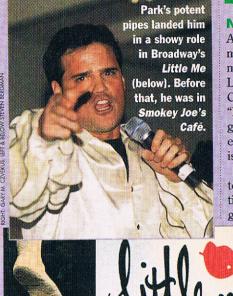
He flashes a smile. "I tend to believe the ones good only!"

Enjoying success on both and stage screen, the man who plays Lucky must feel, well... "Yes, I feel lucky. When I got my first Broadway aud-

around for a bit, you have to capitalize on that gossip. I was my agent helped out

me lucky."

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No More Putting Around

Alas, all work and no play makes the man who plays Jack a dull boy. Park misses spending more time with Laurie, his wife of three years, and Christopher, their 18-month-old son. "I'm doing two shows, so I'm lucky if I get to see my son go to bed," says the exhausted dad. "Otherwise, my family is fantastic. They're very patient."

Also, despite unseasonably warm winter weather, the avid golfer hasn't had time to tee off. "Last week, it was 77 degrees, and Jon Hensley (Holden) called

me on his cell phone, saying, 'Guess where I am - I'm on the ninth hole." admits Park. "Yet in another sense I feel lucky because Jon just joined this great country club that I will be a permanent guest at."

Oakdale castmates like Hensley play a big part in Park's life. "I feel fortunate," he marvels, "that I met Jon and Kelley [Menighan Henslev. Emily], Martha [Byrne, Lilyl and her husband, Michael, and all our friends from the show, like Ben Hendrickson (Hal) and Maura West (Carly)."

Tall in The Saddle

bout Theatre Company

When Little Me ends its run next month, Park can find time for family and fun again. Though his (continues)

Feature Interview continued

Guy And Dolls
Michael Park's take on Jack's women

Oakdale boasts women from all cuts of the cloth. and Jack has crossed paths with most of them. Here. Michael Park offers his take on a few of the Jills in Jack's life:



Carly: "She brings out the passionate side of Jack, the side that makes him do impulsive things. She doesn't mean to hurt anvone, but she will if it betters her standing. All these dichotomies happening with her... Jack is intriqued by that."

Julia: "She brings out that Norman Rockwell visionary thing in Jack, with the Christmas snow globe and music... the Currier and Ives thing. That's what Julia is to Jack."





Dolores: "She is extremely troubled and lonely. She makes you feel very sorry for her, yet you also feel a bit of resentment that she had her sons go through all of this. But deep down, she's a Snyder at heart."



Molly: "She is an opportunist the same way that Carly is, but she's been to prison, so she knows what that's all about. Molly is going full-throttle toward Lisa Grimaldi-dom, but with a little more eccentricity. Definitely a scene stealer."



next stage stop is undecided, there are always the dream roles that he aspires to fill one day. Billy Bigelow in Carousel is the part that immediately leaps to the versatile actor's mind; second is the Pal Joey lead, a part once notably filled by Frank Sinatra. "And I would die to do Tennessee Williams, to do Stanley Kowalski [in A Streetcar Named Desire]. That stuff is so beyond what I've done before"

Until Broadway comes calling again, Park's place is set at the Snyder table at least for another two years. He recently signed a new contract with the show. Above: Park is dying to introduce his real-life brother to his ATWT cousin, Jon Hensley.

Left: The actor's good pal, Daniel Markel, returns to the show briefly next week.

"I love what they've done with Jack, and I'm extremely appreciative that they have enough faith to keep me in frontburner stories," he says. "But I have no idea what's going to happen in coming vears. People could get bored of me. They could ask me to leave."

Bored of Jack? How could Park possibly think they'd ever ask him to leave? After all, he's a Snyder. The actor counters with a brisk touché. "Keep in mind that my really good friend, Daniel Markel, was a Stenbeck." - Matt Webb Mitovich

Addicted Andy

The hottle wins this round as the alcoholic tumbles off the wagon

Andy has been waging a back-and-forth battle against the bottle for much of the last decade. In recent years, he seemed to be getting a handle on his ad-

diction, but the tide recently has turned vet again. Though he's not doing well at AA, maybe he could start his own support group with these other Oakdale addicts:

A Tale Of Two Temptations

One day in 1973, Susan Stewart's young daughter. Emily, turned up missing. After the girl was found, her angry father. Dan. sued for custody. Both Susan's boyfriend and mother testified that she was an unfit parent (how loving of them), so the court handed Emily over to her father. The whole unfortunate affair sent Susan straight to the sauce. She eventually conquered her alcoholism only to find herself, almost 20 years later, battling a major love affair with painkillers. With Bob's help, though, Susan was able to shake that monkey off her back, too. Nowadays she helps others including Andy — with their substanceabuse problems.



Losing custody of the now-grown Emily sent Susan crawling into the bottle.

Just Call Him **Johnny Walker** John's mistress al-

ways has been alcohol, but never more than when Kim filed

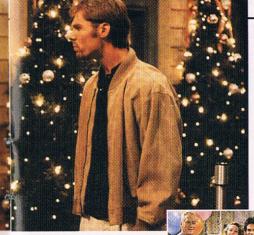
for divorce in '76. (Turns out, John actually had another mistress, too; a nubile nurse.) John drowned his sorrows the only way he knew how until it began affecting his work. Caught one night nipping at the spirits on duty. John suffered a mental breakdown and has worked to keep his problem in check ever since.

Father Does Not Know Best

Ieff Ward had it all - his wife had delivered healthy quadruplets, and his career

as a surgeon was going gangbusters. But his world came tumbling down when the pressures of fatherhood and work started to take their toll. Forget the coffee -

> Once. John's drinking jeopardized his job.



Above: Susan has tried to keep Andy sober.

Jeff turned to amphetamines to keep him going. The occasional pill snowballed into a nasty addiction until Ieff was brought to his senses with a wake-up call in the form of a car crash. He went straight to rehab, cleaned up his act and returned home

in time for his kids' first birthday.



When Diana McColl's club started to include backroom gambling, her brother, Kirk, decided to sit in on a few hands of blackjack so as to write an exposé of the dirty dealings for the local paper. Kirk's fondness for cards got



Above: Kirk, with Marcy, got hooked.

the best of him, though, and he quickly became a regular at the tables, unable to part company with Lady Luck. Eventually, he racked up a \$40,000 debt and found himself on the receiving end of a Mob goon's brass knuckles. Kirk got the hint, gave up his iones for gambling, and wisely focused on his reporting.

Raggedy Andy

It started in 1987, when Andy took his first sip of champagne. Must've been pretty good bubbly, because that teensy taste fueled an appetite for alcohol that has raged ever since. And just as the boy went on benders after past romantic rejections, his current fallout with Nikki has sent him straight for the hooch. As Andy blows off AA meetings, a concerned Molly is trying to ride to his rescue. Will she arrive in time to save him from disaster?



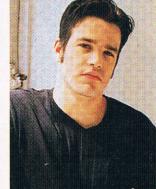
Gone FISHIN'

Discussing practical jokes, Nathaniel Marston (Eddie) recalls a time when his stepfather teased him but good. "The best prank ever played on me

took place on my ninth birthday," the actor relates. "My stendad brought me this huge box, about the size of a refrigerator carton." Filled with anticipation. young Marston eagerly unwrapped his grand gift, "Inside the box

A gag gift didn't make Marston choke, "I've loved sardines ever since." was another box And inside that box was another box. It got down to just a small box, so I figured it was a pocket video game." Alas, the birthday boy's

mysterious present did not, in fact, require batteries. "I opened it up. and it was a can of sardines in Louisiana hot sauce!" The joke. though, ended up being on Marston's stepfather. "I left my other toys on the ground and ate the sardines in my treehouse. I was happier with my kippers than anything else!"



The Waiting **GAME**

After Terri Conn's final audition for the role of Georgia (ves. Georgia), the hours preceding the producers' decision were tense. "I walked around New York trying to keep my mind off of it, but I'd call my agents every 10 minutes!" When the next day's script was delivered in case Conn got the role, she sat down to study her lines. That's when the verdict came, "My agent said. 'The bad news is, you didn't get the part. The good news is, they want to write a [new] character for you." Katie's future portraver flung aside Georgia's dialogue and dashed out to catch Broadway's A View From The Bridge, "I was ecstatic!" she says. "I got a job on ATWT, and I got to see the play I wanted!"



"What could possibly be the good news?" Conn thought upon losing the part of Georgia.



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AS THE WORLD TURNS

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Use the clues to find the hidden words dealing with ATWT. Answers can be found horizontal, diagonal, backward or forward.

- 1. Nancy celebrated her 80th aboard The Valetta.
- 2. Building that burned down.
- 3. Georgia was hospitalized because of a problem with this organ.
- 4. Julia lied that she had made James' acquaintance in this European country.
- 5. She's Margo's sister.
- 6. After Georgia had her operation, this family member offered her a place to stay.
- 7. Eddie slugged one who asked too many questions about his supposed affair with Margo.
- 8. Ben gave this to Camille when he proposed.
- 9. Medical procedure which placed Georgia in the hospital.
- 10. University that Nikki attends.





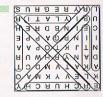
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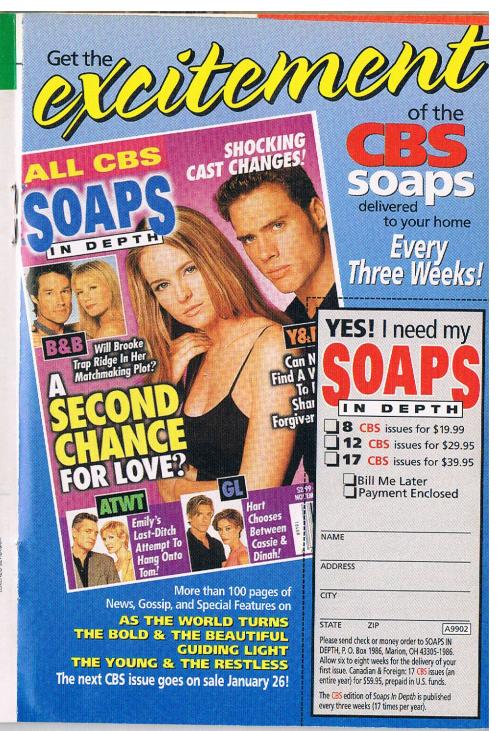
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8. Ring /. Reporter 6. Lucinda 5. Katie 4. Italy

3. Heart 2. Church 1. Birthday

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back when was a surname. "For the first couple of years, I was recurring and only

> the summers," says Davidson. "Paul didn't have a last name. It was really all about beefcake."

or a guy who was brought on "to stir up trouble." Doug Davidson has proven to have some real staying power as Paul Williams, the surf bum-turned-private eve everyone loves. In fact, the actor recently celebrated 20 years in Genoa City, and as he looks back, no one is more surprised by his longevity than he himself. Now, his beginnings are a blur. "I don't really remember airing on about 10 to 12 episodes during my first day except as a group of scenes,"

After All These Years?

he admits. "We were doing a remote, out by a lake. I was with Nikki, who was then being played by Erica Hope. She was a bad girl and I was a bad boy.

"Remember," he adds, "the show was only a half-hour then. I think I had four lines."

What Paul didn't have way

In the beginning, Davidson didn't look at Y&R as a permanent home. "I never thought I'd be here all these years later."

Then came the summer of '79. That was when Hope was replaced by a young blonde named Melody Thomas. Davidson laughs at the recollection: "Quite a summer. Nikki gave Paul venereal disease.

"In this storyline," he continues, "Paul was being used every time the writers wanted to pull Nikki away from the young doctor she was seeing."

Davidson sits back. "No, it wasn't Snapper. This doctor was even before him." Little did Paul's portrayer suspect, his character — and he himself — were destined for big things. (continues)

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Getting To Know Me

Once Y&R expanded to an hour, Paul began to really come into his own. "Paul got a last name - and a family," says David-

son. "[Co-creator and senior executive producer] William J. Bell told me once that you have to build from within. He was creating a history and family for Paul, who had

been on the show for a few seasons. and would now grow as a character."

And did Paul ever grow. In the 20-and-a-half years of pain, laughter, high emotion and high drama that followed, he won and lost the hearts of a number of Genoa City beauties, met and married his Mrs. Right, took on tougher cases than Columbo, and even faked his own demise with the help of his dad (an expert on playing dead). And naturally, the first time we saw him do the right thing. He married her and wanted to raise their child. This story signaled the significant transformation of Paul, not only from

In Good

Actors like Doug Davidson are in a league of their own

When the Y&R star was climbing the ladder to fame and fortune in Hollywood, he wasn't in a class by himself, so to speak. He worked and studied alongside some other upand-comers who, like him, have since "arrived." Anthony Edwards of ER... Dennis Franz of NYPD BLUE... Rick Springfield (ex-Noah, GENERAL HOSPITAL)... Davidson knew them all. In fact, today Springfield is more than a colleague, he's Davidson's best buddy. "I met Doug in an acting class when I was 26 and he was just 19," Springfield tells Soaps In Depth. "He's been my dearest friend ever since." Davidson admits that at one time, he and Springfield were practically family. "Rick was even my sister's boyfriend," says Davidson. "They lived together for a while." So, obviously, Davidson was a natural to help with a recent VH-1 BE-HIND THE MUSIC episode on the transplanted Australian rocker-actor. "[The producers] kept asking me to find photos of me and Rick together," says Davidson, "and I kept telling them, 'We were making history, not recording it." And it looks like the two will remain close for years to come. Not only do Davidson

and Springfield's wives — Cindy and Barbara respectively get along famously, their offspring are close in age. "It's hard to imagine," says Davidson, "but our kids can hang out!"

bad guy to good guy, but from selfish kid to responsible adult."

Like many who count themselves longtime Y&R devotees, Davidson says that his other favorite plotline is the George and Cassandra Rawlins story arc. "It was the first adventure for Paul and his first adult storyline. And it was just a darn good story, well-told, wellcrafted, so well-motivated. It built in suspense. It had everything - romance, intrigue, gla-Arvesen (ex-Cas- with helping him to put their work sandra), and my into perspective. first big remote!"

mour. Here was an Above: Davidson credits his Y&R alluring girl, Nina bride, Lauralee Bell (Christine),

on the task at hand and to let go of something I wasn't crazy Lady-killer Paul has been didn't think

about. If a sought after by women as scene wasn't different as glam Lauren working or I and trustworthy Lynne.

I'd been perfect, she allowed me to be able to move on.

"You know, it isn't easy being an actor," my life]. Lauralee made it easier to focus he adds. "We study and (continues)

"Rick Springfield (bottom) and I have been friends for too many years," says Davidson.

His Better Half

Davidson has worked with plenty of talented performers in his two decades on Y&R. But he points to one in particular with whom he has enjoyed acting. "I've been blessed to have shared a stage with some terrific people. At the risk of sounding insecure, I have to mention Lauralee [Bell, Christine]. She's been really good for me. She knows the format so well, and she was able to bring the reins in on me [and

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Paul's Los Angeles-

born portrayer has a

favorite storyline or

two, "When Paul got

April pregnant, it was

Feature Interview continued

work hard, and this format calls for us to : The Secret Of His Success create a show a day. We don't always have All that said. Davidson's times in Genoa the chance to work out the kinks. And it used to be that anything I didn't feel was perfect left me very unhappy. Lauralee settled me down."

Davidson has other favorite castmates. too, among them Tracev E. Bregman (who's now playing Lauren on Y&R's sister soap, THE BOLD & THE BEAUTI-FUL), Steven Ford (ex-Andy), and the aforementioned Arvesen. "This is an ensemble show, obviously, and I've worked with some of the best," Davidson marvels. continuing to rattle off names. "Cindy Eilbacher (ex-April), Brett Hadley (Carl), Carolyn Conwell (Mary)."

City haven't always been idvllic. Years back, doing a scene with Bregman, he made a careless remark that offended Bill Bell. "I didn't mean to hurt anyone's feelings," he says. "It was simply thoughtless. But Mrs. [Lee Phillip] Bell came down to my dressing room and asked me if everything was okay. And she told me something I never forgot. She said, 'Sometimes you shouldn't try so hard.'

"I felt as if I got a fresh start," he continues. "I'd spent so many years trying to make the work so perfect. With Mrs. Bell's help, I was finally able to back off."



One aspect of Davidson's current storyline that he is enjoying is the opportunity to watch his Y&R mom sink her teeth into some heavy, dramatic material.

Doug Davidson on reuniting the Williams family

Carl Williams might have a lot of 'splainin' to do to his kinfolk. But not Brett Hadley, who plays the long-missing patriarch.

Doug Davidson says that he's thrilled to be working again with his Y&R dad - and to be spending more time on-screen with Y&R mom Carolyn Conwell (Mary), especially without her whining at him. "So many new viewers only know her as the interfering mother-in-law," says Davidson. "I'm thrilled that she's getting to do richer material again. I'm also thrilled to be together again as a family." Davidson admits that in the beginning, he wasn't sure: We have a real camaraderie."

about this storyline. "I didn't get it. I couldn't figure out why I was mad at Christine for looking for Carl, and I couldn't see where we were all headed. But now I'm really enjoying everything. And working with Brett has been like picking up where we left off, with no time in between. Sure. neither of us is in the same spot as people or characters. But the wall between Carl and Paul isn't reflected in Brett and me.

In Depth



Left: Davidson met wife Cindy when she played Paul's fellow cult member. Rebecca. on Y&R in 1980. Today, they have two children. Calyssa and Caden.

True Confessions

As two decades flew by, Davidson says he was hardly noticing. "If in 1978 you had shown me a script cover marked 1998 with Paul's name. I would have been flabbergasted. I viewed this show as a stepping stone."

Like all young actors, in the beginning, Davidson was, well, restless. "I went through all the stages: I was arrogant, difficult. But I was basically green.

In those days, I thought I'd do this soap and head on."

Davidson pauses and laughs. "Shari [Shattuck, who plays Ashley] told me that Anthony Edwards (of ER fame) asked her if I was still talking about leaving the show. He played my sister's hippy-dippy boyfriend years back. I think I must've been saving way back then that I was leaving soon. As a kid, you think the horizon is so far away, and that everything is possible."



fought for Chris' hand (above).

Happily Ever After

With age comes maturity and a sense of contentment. Now, having taken on a number of projects outside of Y&R, everything from hosting the Rose Bowl parade telecast to emceeing THE PRICE IS RIGHT, Davidson thinks that he has found a way to be happy in the present. "Maybe I'm not as hot as I thought," he says, grinning. "But this is a good place. And I'm very happy to be here." — Karre Lynn

Paul's Pop Returns

Will Jim regain his memory or lose his family forever?

Is it too late to send Carl Williams forget-me-nots? The amnesiac has no recollection of the wife and family

that he left behind years ago. But soon, he may get a crash course in his own clan. So far, he's had nary a glance at wife Mary, but the two are sure to come faceto-face sooner or later. When they do, they'll join the ranks of Genoa Citizens who have found themselves reacquainted with a longlost relative. Consider:



Ashlev almost married Eric to spite her mother.

Above: Carl started a new life with a new woman, Ruth.

decided to get even by marrving Eric, but at the last minute called off the wedding. Dina wound up leaving town - and her daughter — for a second time.

Night, Mother

Jessica Blair showed up in Genoa City after years of estrangement from her

daughter, Cricket. She'd sent her little girl to live with her grandmother what seemed an eternity ago. While the teenager moved in with her mom after Grandma's death, the two did not get on, and Chris eventually left and roomed with her cousin. Years later, Katherine offered Jessica a place to live, hoping that mother and daughter finally could grow close. Their time was cut short, however, when Jessica was diagnosed with — and tragically died from — AIDS.



War Wounds

Jack Abbott did his duty in Vietnam and, amid the hell of war, fell in love

with Luan, the woman who nursed him to health. But lack went home and was reunited with Luan only in a twist of fate 20 years later. Then, he also learned that he and Luan had a son, Keemo, whom Luan had been forced to leave behind. When Keemo arrived in Genoa City,

he unwittingly found himself mired in Mari Jo Mason's plan to steal Jack from Luan — and revealed the scheme to his father. Jack and Luan wed, but she soon died, and Keemo returned to Vietnam.

Little Girl Lost

A crisis in Sharon's life prompted pal Grace to find Cassie, the daughter Sharon had given up for adoption years earlier. Grace brought Cassie to Genoa City and, after months of keeping the child's identity a secret, finally revealed to Sharon that her little girl had come home. Sharon was thrilled, but kept her relation to Cassie a secret from hubby Nick, who couldn't understand his wife's obsession with this

Left: Grace gave Sharon the greatest gift of all - a reunion with daughter Cassie.



Above: Keemo toasted his newfound father, Jack.

Left: Jessica left John to reunite her family before dying.

child. Now, even as Sharon struggles to mend her marriage, Cassie's adoptive mom. Alice, is in town,

and both women are poised to collide in their efforts to hold on to the little girl.

Carl Who?

After a decade of life as "Jim," Carl is back in Genoa City, seeking answers about his past. Unfortunately, his timing couldn't be worse, because after 10 years of patiently waiting for her husband to return, Mary has put meddling in her son's life on the backburner long enough to find herself a new man. Now it's only a matter of time before Mary realizes that she's not quite as single as she's been assuming. Will Mary's former cop-husband regain his memory just in time to charge her with bigamy?

Are You My Mother? Little in life is worse for a

woman than fighting with another woman over a man. But the one thing that is worse is when the other woman turns out to be your mother! Ashley was mad for Eric Garrison, who'd been dispatched to Genoa City by his lover, the mysterious Madame Mergeron, who was interested in buying Jabot. When Madame showed up to close the deal, she revealed herself to be Dina Abbott, John's first wife and Ashley's mother! Still suffering with "abandonment issues," Ashlev

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The strength of a woman "is being successful and nurturing." says Shattuck.

ers," Shattuck says. But, adds the actress. "You don't

ROLE Models

Those in search of someone to admire could do well by singling out Shari Shattuck (Ashley). Shattuck is a loving mother, a hard worker who treats everyone with courtesy and respect, and a person too busy with life to worry much about blemishes or flaws. So whom does she look up to herself? "The kind of women I tend to admire are people like Oprah, Rosie

O'Donnell or Martha Stewart," she tells us. "They have all shown how women can be successful in a way that embraces and nurtures the world."



O'Donnell, for example, does a lot of work for charity. "She uses her celebrity to help oth-

have to be a superstar" to do wonderful things. "I admire people who give in small ways." In fact, she says, "I admire my own mom very much."

MODEL Roles

Heather Tom (Victoria) may live in Los Angeles and have a great job in television, but she also yearns to go to New York and get a great part (or two) on Broadway. "There are two roles every actress should play: Blanche DuBois from A Streetcar

Named Desire, and HeddaGabler," insists Tom. a1who ready performs in

Tom has theater aspirations.



plays for her own theater company in L.A. "Oh, and I want to play Maggie from Cat On A Hot Tin Roof. She's crazy, and I love crazy women." While Tom dreams of the stage, she spends her free time reading classic plays. Her favorite playwrights? "I really think Tennessee Williams. who wrote Streetcar and Cat, is a true genius, ranking with Shakespeare," she says. "Williams' work is so poetic, and it never loses its spontaneity and freshness." Tom also adds Henrik Ibsen, who wrote Hedda Gabler, among others, to her list of faves. "He wrote wonderful roles for women. His themes not only are universal, but they're the same themes women are still struggling with today," she says. "Like the search for self-identity."

"I want it to feel like home," says Moore, who's in the midst of decorating his new digs.

Up-Close & Personal

This New HOUSE

Shemar Moore (Malcolm) can now say

he's king of his very own castle: He

recently bought his first home, a town-

"My business manager is like, Whoa,

let's take this a step at a time,'

but I can't wait. I want it

to look great now!" ad-

mits Moore, who is opt-

ing for a modern look.

"It's what my friends

tell me is an Asian

influence - vou

know, minimalist."

The bachelor is not relying on a decora-

tor, choosing instead

to "sort of go by the

seat of my pants. I know what I like."

Meanwhile, he can't

wait to show his home

to his mom, Marilyn,

who's visiting him for the

holidays. "She really has

no idea how great this

place is," says the actor. "It

has lots of room — high

ceilings, big walk-in closets,

a balcony where I can sit and

have a glass of wine, and a

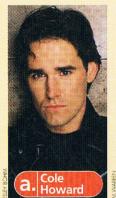
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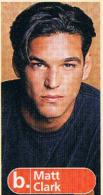
house in Southern California. The next step? Furnishing it — as quickly as possible!

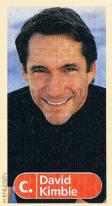
Fun & Games who's who?

THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

1. In which of these men has unlucky-in-love Nina McNeil never shown a romantic interest?









1111 2. Which woman was once Brad's wife?











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engaged to Ashley and Mikki, but of these women, only unstable Lisa ever was his bride. with collegian rapist Matt. 2. Brad is chasing Diane now, once carried on with Lauren, and was 1. b. As bad luck as Vina has had with men, she never has had the mistortune of getting mixed up

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Amber Going Solo?

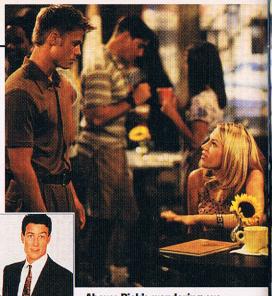
Rick's crush may leave the mom-to-be a single parent!

Being a swingin' single has its perks, but not when you are about to be a mother. Now that Rick has eves for Kimberly, Amber may be facing parenthood on her own. Un-

fortunately, she wouldn't be the first woman to celebrate "labor day" without a husband — especially not on B&B. Consider these other unwed mothers who went it alone:

Margo

By the time her trysts with designing man Clarke proved fruitful, it was too late for Margo to consider being his missus. That honor already belonged to Kristen, Clarke warned Margo that his wife never could learn their little secret. but Margo told him that keeping quiet would cost him - \$100,000 in child support, to be exact. Clarke didn't lift a finger to help Margo rear his progeny, but at least he coughed up some cash.



Above: Rick's wandering eve may make a single mom of his wife-to-be, Amber.

Left: Margo raised Clarke's baby with her hubby, Bill.

Brooke

Brooke was thrilled to find out that she was pregnant with her second child, especially since she believed that longtime true love Ridge was the father. By this time, though, Ridge already was married to another woman - Taylor - and (rightfully) expressed his doubts over the child's paternity. Nine months later, Ridge helped Brooke deliver Baby Bridget in the Forrester cabin at Big Bear (site of so many triumphs and tragedies for the Forrester family). A rigged paternity test soon named Ridge as the little girl's father, but even that didn't persuade him to trade in Taylor for Brooke. (That wouldn't happen until later, when he learned of the paternity test tampering.)



Above: Brooke's pregnancy reeled in Ridge.

Left: Marv was stolen by Sheila.

Sheila

Pregnant with her shrink's child, Sheila agreed to turn the infant over to daddy James and his wife, Maggie, upon deliverv. Sheila even went through with the plan, but changed her mind a few weeks later and legally reclaimed the baby. To win back his daughter. James pretended to be romantically interested in Sheila again — an acting job that evolved into a legitimate love affair. Sheila and James' brief marriage was shattered when her psychosis relapsed. Rather than live the rest of her life in a psychiatric prison, Sheila absconded with her daughter and currently is raising Mary on the lam.

Taylor

When Taylor searched out Ridge to tell him that they were expecting, she discovered him in bed with Brooke. Assuming the worst, Taylor naturally didn't want Ridge to be a part of her life. She resolved

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In Depth

Will Rick leave Amber for Kimberly? Up-Close & Personal76



Thomas' birth left Taylor keeping a secret.

to raise her child alone, and Ridge and Brooke were married. When Baby Thomas was born, Taylor left the father's name blank on the birth certificate, but as time wore on, she realized that she couldn't keep this monumental secret. She told Ridge, who then annulled his marriage to Brooke and dedicated himself wholly to his new family.

Amber

Although Amber's child has two possible fathers, neither seems particularly dedicated. Rick has promised to stand by Amber, but his growing interest in Kimberly could prove to be a real obstacle. In the meantime, Amber knows her child's father also could be pop star Raymond, who is out of the picture for now. As she waits out her third trimester, the troubled teen continues to harbor fantasies about having a perfect family. But, realistically, she knows she may face a solo parenting act.

In Depth

Frantz can memorize lines — and color between them.

which I hadn't done in years," she says. "I was When was the last time I Frantz also bought a coloring book, which she

movie. She also makes sure to keep in there with the guys in my band, and we all started coloring," says Frantz. "Sometimes, you just have to be a kid."

WAXINGNostalgic

Working as a young actress has meant that Adrienne Frantz (Amber) has had to mature more quickly than other people her age. But that doesn't mean she's not still a kid at heart. "I'll never grow up completely," says Frantz, who, among other things, rarely passes up an opportunity to catch a classic animated Disney

touch with her inner child in other ways. "I bought crayons the other day,



walking through a drugstore, and I thought, touched a box of crayons?" While she was at it,

took home and shared with her friends. "I sat

SLIDERS

If he had to guess what career path his son may choose, Paul Satterfield (Pierce) might suggest "stuntman." Granted, young Cameron is only a year old, but he's already something of a daredevil. "He's just really full of mischief," says his father. "He likes to tear things up, and he tries to eat stuff he's not supposed to." At a recent outing to the park, Satterfield was flabbergasted by Cameron's playground boldness. "He loves to go headfirst down the biggest slide he can find," marvels the actor. "I couldn't believe it the first time I watched him do it. I had to run to get to the bottom of the slide, because he just took off headfirst and laughed the whole way down."



"He's all boy," says Satterfield of his toddler son, Cameron.

Sunshine on Lang's ankle makes her happy.

Ya Gotta Have

That new haircut is-

n't the only change

Katherine Kelly Lang

(Brooke) has made in

her appearance. Several

months ago, the actress got

a sun design tattooed on her

ankle! "The sun stands for life

and energy," says Lang, who ad-

mits that the procedure hurt a bit.

new body art. So do her children,

particularly her 17-month-old daughter, Zoe. "She is really drawn to it. Whenever she

points to it, she says, 'Tat-

too!' She really likes it!"

says Mom. So, now that

Lang has one tattoo,

will she be getting

another? "I want

to," she admits,

"but I don't know.

I think one is

enough." One

thing she knows

for sure: "If I get

another one, it

will be in a place

where you can't

see it."

"It pretty much felt like someone

was stabbing me over and over and

over." Nevertheless, Lang likes her

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1. Name the character that these B&B stars played on THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS.







2. Which of these characters once was hit by a bullet?

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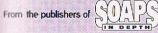




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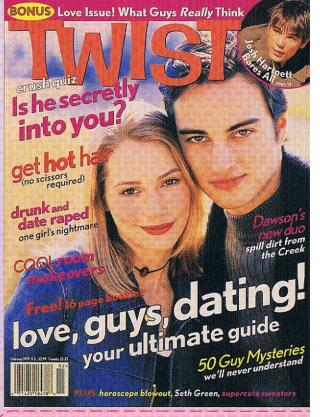
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BELLS WERE RINGING FOR THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS AND THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL





Don Diamont (Brad, Y&R) brought his wife. Rachel, and son to Y&R and **B&B** creators Bill and Lee Bell's bash



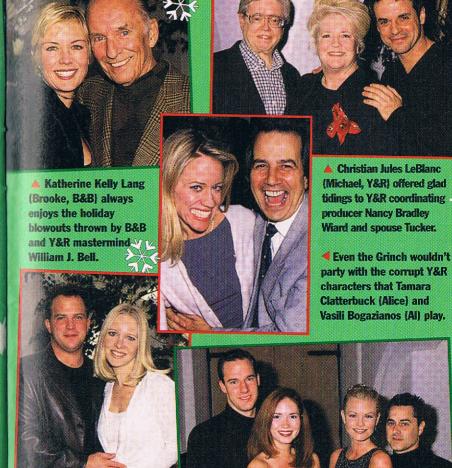
▲ Scott Reeves (Ryan, Y&R) and his missus, Melissa (ex-Jennifer, DAYS OF OUR LIVES), made the evening a family affair with son Lawrence and daughter Emily.



Melody Thomas Scott (Nikki, Y&R) and hubby Ed, Y&R's executive producer, posed with daughters Jennifer and Elizabeth.



▲ Sharon Newman won't let Grace near her man! But Sharon Case happily took a picture with beau Ron and Jennifer Gareis (Grace).



Lucky Lauralee Bell (Christine, Y&R), with hubby Scott Martin, gets to go to her

office Christmas party.

folks' place every year for her

▲ What would Tony and Ryan say?! Y&R sibs Ashley Jones (Megan) and Sabryn Genet (Tricia) were looking lovely --and on the arms of their own leading men!

(Continued)



▲ John McCook (Eric, B&B) and wife Laurette Spang were flanked by their lovely kids, Jake, Molly and Becky.



▲ Hunter Tylo (Taylor, B&B) and hubby Michael (ex-Blade, Y&R) were dressed for festivity, as were their boys, Christopher and Mickey.



▲ What marvelous plot are the grandes dames of Y&R hatching? It's cocreator Lee Phillip Bell and Jeanne Cooper (Katherine).



🔺 Will B&B's Macy play matchmaker for C.J. 💥 and Darla? If Bobbie Eakes, Mick Cain and Schae Harrison know, they're not tellin'!



a B&B/Y&R music composer.

to have worn down Jess Walton any! She looked radiant surrounded by her husband and loved ones.

AS THE WORLD TURNS & GUIDING LIGHT SPARKLE



party at the Pierre, and they had one!

Where

there's mistletoe...

ATWT's Nick

Kokotakis

(Brad) was

enough to

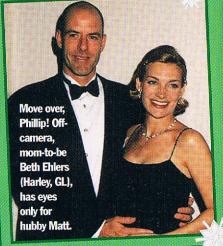
land a kiss

of Maura

on the cheek

West (Carly).

lucky









ATWT's Elizabeth Hubbard (Lucinda) brought along her favorite party companion her handsome son, Jeremy.







ATWT's Scott DeFreitas (Andy) is in an enviable position --- between West and Jaime Nicole Dudney (Georgia).





Laura Wright (Cassie, GL) ran into ex-LOVING co-star Lisa Peluso (Ava; now Lila on **AW**). ▶



ATWT's Peter Parros (Dr. Ben) prescribed himself and wife Jeri an evening of fun.

Michael O'Leary (Rick, GL) attended with his better half, Joni, at his side.



Patti D'Arbanville (Selena, GL) and date eschewed red and green for basic black attire.



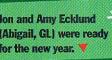
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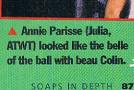
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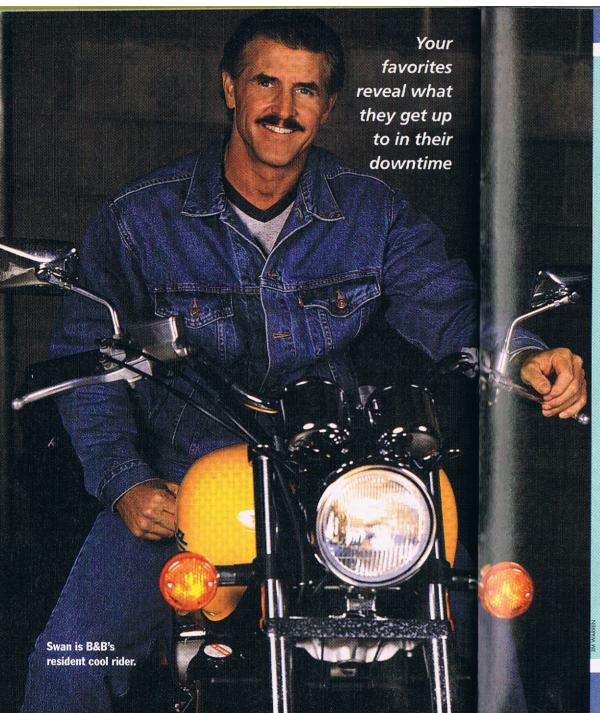
shimmered with

▲ GL's formidable femmes fatales, Jennifer Roszell (Eleni), Marj Dusay (Alex) and Mary Kay Adams (India), never lacked for attention from snazzily-attired gents.









TAKE THIS Your fav-

orite stars don't act 24-7 So when the director vells

"Cut!" these performers like to do their own thing. Some are adventurous while others prefer mellower activities. But all have one thing in common — they know how to bass the time — and with flair.

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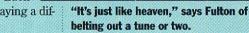
Cool Rider

Give Michael Swan (Myles) the option of driving a motorcycle or a car to get from point A to point B, and there's no question which vehicle he'd choose. "A motorcycle is so much more fun," says the actor, who loves to saddle up on his bike at every available opportunity. What's more, Swan has a leg up on most other motorists in Los Angeles, the city of gridlock. "The amount of traffic in this city is mindboggling," he says. Astride his speed machine, however, Swan can flit in and out of bumper-to-bumper traffic, cutting his travel time in half. "This allows me to do those reckless and dangerous things that motorcyclists do," he says. All joking aside, Swan proceeds safely and says that he wears his helmet religiously. "If you're going 65 miles an hour and you hit your head on something, you're dead without a helmet." (continues)

AS THE WORLD TURNS

The Thrill Of A Sona

Ever since she was a kid, Eileen Fulton (Lisa) has had a great set of lungs. "When I was 11, I knew I was going to be an opera singer," she relates. Now, she's foremost a soap diva instead of a grande dame of the stage. But Fulton hasn't given up her first love. She regularly performs her acclaimed cabaret acts in Manhattan-area venues, singing favorites from Gladys Shelley, Jacques Brel, Gershwin, Sondheim, and Hank Williams. Does she have a favorite number? "I love to sing so everything I sing is my favorite," she insists. "I fall in love with songs." And for the multitalented performer, singing is much like acting. "Each song," she says, "is like playing a dif-





Tee Time

ferent character."

If Mary Kay Adams (India) had her choice, she would spend as much time as possible on the green. Over the past seven years, the actress has developed quite an attraction for the game of golf. "I absolutely love it," Adams reports. "For a while there, I was rabid about it and played as much as I could with my good friend, Kassie DePaiva (ex-Chelsea; now Blair

on ONE LIFE TO LIVE)." And if De-Paiva wasn't available. Adams had to search no further than her GL co-stars for competitors to play nine holes with her: Grant Aleksander (Phillip), Michael O'Leary (Rick), Mark Derwin

(ex-Mallet), and Kim Zim-

Adams likes to tee off her peers... er, tee off with her peers!





"I like quirky stuff." says Martin-Harkins, below in her home away from home, of her taste in decor.



Searching For Treasures

Like her character. Lauren Martin-Harkins (Camille) adores offbeat home furnishings, and spends much of her spare time hunting down unique pieces in flea markets and antique shops. "I dig Camille's apartment," she says, pointing out that her alter ego's bachelorette pad is quite beautiful. "I feel very at home. God forbid, she gets married. Igives up her apartment and moves in with anybody." So, what kind of stuff does Martin-Harkins keep her eyes open for when she's shopping? "I have very eclectic taste," she offers. "I love rococo, Baroque stuff, deco pieces. I like Gothic things, too."

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mer (Reva) are also avid golfers. "We would all end up playing at charity events," Adams explains. Although she reluctantly admits that this past year she wasn't able to get to the country club or the driving range as often as

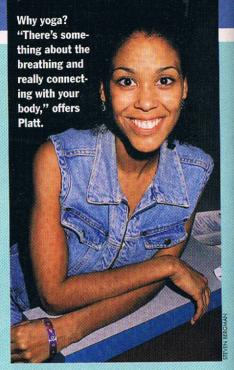
> she would have liked, golfing remains "one of the most fun things, to me, to do. And it's a beautiful way to spend the day."



GUIDING LIGHT

Yoga Party

When daily stresses begin to wear down Victoria Platt (Vicky), the actress turns to her inner self. "I do yoga about three times a week," she says. "The centering of mind and body keeps me focused." But for this student of Eastern tradition and meditation, yoga functions as more than a method of relaxation. Platt claims that voga is also beneficial in preventing illness. "I really believe that a lot of our disease and physical discomfort can be alleviated by doing voga," she claims. "It's all really just stress that's built up in your body. And with the breathing exercises and movement of yoga, you focus on your body and can release that stress."



THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS **Paint By Numbers**



She won't exactly characterize her style as setting the art world on fire, but Ashley Jones (Megan) says that she likes nothing better than to set up her easel by a light-flooded window and paint her heart out. "Mostly, I like to try portraits. They're pretty abstract. I've done my 8-year-old sister, Jordan, and while I'm not sure I really captured her, she liked it enough to take it to school for show and tell." Jones says she's big into color, and thinks she does her best work when she works from sketches. "It's a great way to relax," she says, "and when I have time, painting makes me happy."

Keeping up with Jones means packing a paintbrush wherever you go; she loves doing portraits.

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL

Fret Boy

Mick Cain (C.I.) doesn't just love playing the guitar, it's in his genes. He first

picked up the talent through his dad, who is also a musician. Now, father and son combine their talents. "My dad's got a CD coming out, and I play guitar on a couple of tracks on the album," says Cain, who started strumming an acoustic guitar when he was 8 years old. The actor admits that he wasn't always in-



Right: Cain inherited his musical talent from his father.



strumentally inclined. "There were a lot of times when the guitar sort of took a back seat because I was a kid and I was too busy doing other

> things," he says. "I didn't really start getting serious about it until I was 17." Now. Cain enjoys the creative process of writing his own songs. "A song will start coming to me, and I'll develop it a little

more and then try to throw lyrics in." Cain says he hasn't fully mastered the art of playing and singing at the same time. But maybe in the long run, that's okay. "If you look at B.B. King, he never plays and sings at the same time. He'll throw out a couple of lyrics and then do a few licks. Hendrix was much the same way," he adds. "Not that I'm comparing myself to them by any means."



GUIDING LIGHT

Write Away!

While Nurse Lillian Raines spends her days filling out medical charts, Tina Sloan would rather utilize her writing skills elsewhere. "Writing is a new game I'm into," she admits. "I have a lot of things under the bed that I've written just for the sheer fun of writing, but have never done anything about them." However, there are a few pieces that, to Sloan's delight, may be published. "I'm having great fun with my writing. Although," she sighs, "I don't know that I'm disciplined enough about it." For instance, Sloan would have a hard time seeing herself writing 9 to 5. "Sometimes I get up in the middle of the night and write for a while," she admits. "That seems to be a good time for me."



If ever GL needs an idea for a new storvline for Lillian, Sloan might be able to contribute as a writer.



THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

Her Wick-ed Ways

To look at this cool, hip blonde, it probably never would occur to her fans that Sabryn Genet (Tricia) opts for a centuries-old way to spend her spare time: She digs candlemaking. "My friend got me interested," she explains. "Then I read a book on how to do it: I'm pretty much self-taught." Genet's candles are scented, a kind of wax potpourri. "I haven't made one in a while, but not long ago, I was on a tear. I have about 80 candles." She finds the practice both relaxing and practical. At the end of a session, she feels great and has a romantic source of light to ... read by!

Candle maker Genet never has to worry about being cast in an unflattering light.

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL

Sharp Shooter

Ronn Moss (Ridge) feels right at home both in front of a camera and behind one. "I used to take pictures for a liv-

ing," he explains. "I did all of my friends' head shots and commercial shots." Nowadays, Moss continues to use photography as a creative outlet whenever he can find the time.



Shutterbug Moss is ready for his close-up — whether he's the subject of the photo or the photographer!

Eventually, he says he'd like exhibit some of his work. He also would love to have a chance to photograph his fellow cast members in an environment away from the show. He finds inspiration in photographers like Annie Liebowitz and surrealist Man Rav. "Believe it or not. I'm more influenced by the Renaissance painters, like Rembrandt, and their use of light and dark." Sounds like his technique involves a lot more than just getting his subiects to say "cheese."

In Depth Exclusive_

Menighan Hensley (Emily) answers her cyberfans' questions ATWT's Kelley Kelley in the Soaps In Depth Forum!

The Soaps In Depth Forum on CompuServe recently hosted another segment of its "Ask The Stars" series, and AS THE WORLD TURNS' Kelley Menighan Hensley (Emily) was our featured guest. Following is an excerpt from her Q&A. For a complete transcript, log on to the Soaps In Depth Forum at GO: TVSOAP. Internet users can log on to http://go.compuserve. com/SoapsInDepth.

Dear Kelley, Will Emily ever find true love and get married?

Jimmy Johnson

Dear Jimmy. Marriage maybe. But marriage and true love — I hope not.

Dear Kelley, Since you're a fitness buff, did you work out during your pregnancy?



Dear Amv.

I worked so much during the whole pregnancy, it was difficult to get the energy to want to work out. Sleep was much more important. I did continue to use weights - upper body mostly. And I took walks whenever I had the urge. Thankfully, I carried like my mom carried me and my Amy Kristen sisters — pretty much like a basketball.

Dear Kelley.

How do you feel about your character stealing Tom away from his wife? Does Emily just want to get even with Margo or does she really care about Tom?

Maria

Dear Maria.

I really believe that she loves Tom. Maybe not for the right reasons. He makes her feel safe and appreciated. It's quite selfish.

Dear Kelley,

How much are you and Emily alike?

Suzy Roeser

Dear Suzv.

We're both strong-willed and I'd like to consider myself a survivor like Emily.

Dear Kelley,

Would you encourage your daughter to pursue an acting career?

Tammy Petty

Dear Tammy.

I'll encourage her to do whatever she dreams to be. An actress or anything else.

Dear Kelley,

Is there anything that could reform Emily? Or at least make her give up on winning Tom through deception?

Melissa K. Racz

Dear Melissa, Therapy.

Dear Kelley.

What do you do to become motivated for a particular scene? Do you think of



Emily may love Tom, but her plan to ruin his marriage to Margo is just plain hateful.

anything/anyone in particular during a very emotional or joyous scene?

Sara Simons

Dear Sara.

I just try to play the moments that are written for me. One of the perks of playing a character for a while is that you get the right instincts.

Dear Kelley,

Would you ever consider leaving daytime to pursue a career in primetime or film?

Caitlin M. Caputo

Dear Caitlin.

It's always there in the back of my mind, but I love what I do. Ion and I both do. I can be a mom and have a career that I love. Why fix it if it ain't broke? Besides, I think I could have a whole other career as an actress... in the next 20 years!

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-Keeping Track-Catch up with former CBS stars

AS THE WORLD TURNS

Mother Knows Best

GUIDING LIGHT

Neither of Lisby Larson's soap characters ever spawned a child like, say, Norman Bates, but her maternal alter egos still wouldn't have been up for any Mother Of The Year awards. GUID-ING LIGHT's Calla Matthews was a domineering matriarch, and ATWT's Mary Campbell was so riddled with guilt over giving away her child that she became the Mrs. Fields of Oakdale. But their portrayer loved them equally. "They were both fabulous characters," insists the actress.

Since leaving ATWT in 1993, Larson has been busy with theater projects, voiceover work and commercials. She currently has four national spots running, including one for Oragel. "And about a year and a half ago, my husband [actor Rex Hays] and I did a cartoon series," she adds. "It was called HAPPINESS: THE SECRET OF THE LOCH. It was by the same people who did the CARE BEARS."

With her spouse currently starring in a new musical, Larson most recently lent her talents to a project headed for the big screen. In the independent feature Fever, she plays another mom, this one with Teri Hatcher and ET's Henry Thomas for kids. "I couldn't put the script down," Larson says, "and when I did, I had nightmares."

Prior to getting Fever, Larson was in Connecticut working on a play with the legendary Kim Hunter (Nola, THE EDGE OF NIGHT), "It was about Alzheimer's," Larson explains, adding that here, "Kim played the mother, and I was the daughter."

When Larson isn't busy working, she plays mom to her own brood - sons, Connor, 11, and Matthew, 7. So far, neither has shown an interest in acting. "If either did show that enthusiasm, of course, I'd do anything I could," she says. "But I'm glad that, at least so far, all they want is to be on soccer teams and have piano

lessons."

Far left: "I'd love to return to daytime,"

times with Jerry ver Dorn (Ross on GL)."

says Larson today. Near left: "I had some wonderful

THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

Parting Shot

After Dr. Steven Lassiter was gunned down by a deranged patient in 1988, his portrayer, Rod Arrants, left daytime for the realm of live drama. And for the last decade, the actor, who was also a regular on SEARCH FOR TOMORROW (as Travis) and DAYS OF OUR LIVES (as Richard), has been working in regional theater. Most recently, he starred as the homicidal husband in Dial M For Murder at the

Georgia Center For Continuing Education at the University Of Georgia in Athens. "As part of the school's program, a guest star comes in from Hollywood or New York, and performs in the chosen

work," explains the San Francisco native. "The local cast works for weeks or months, and your job is to step in with much less preparation - and shine!"

While Arrants prefers to pound the boards — "Theater is absolutely my first love," he says — he has spent more than his fair share of time in front of the camera, too. In addition to his daytime credits, the actor spent a year on DALLAS and has guested on such series as STAR TREK: THE NEXT GENERATION, BAYWATCH and L.A.



acting. Arrants devotes time to the American **Cancer Society.**

Left: On Y&R. Steven's honeymoon with Ashley ended before it began.

LAW. However, he recalls his time on soaps, particularly SFT and Y&R, fondly. "SEARCH happened when my kids were young, and I was able to give them the best that New York had to offer," he recalls. "And Y&R was hugely popular, not just here but abroad.

"People still recognize me as Jeff the stableboy [his first Y&R character]," he adds. "I played that role in 1974, when I was a tall, skinny guy with shoulder-length hair and a Fu Manchu mustache. How anyone could recognize me illustrates the utter devotion of the fans of daytime."

- InDepthAnswers Got burning questions? Lay them on us!

■ I know Samantha is Georgia's mother, but has AS THE WORLD TURNS revealed who her father is?

> Laurie Terrence New Roads, La.

A Though his name hasn't been divulged, we do know that Samantha had a teenage dalliance with a young man that resulted in Georgia. After giving birth, Sam left Georgia on the doorstep of his mother's house.

Wasn't Paul once romantically involved with a hooker on THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS?

> Iav Porter Tavernier, Fla.

In 1982, Paul infiltrated the Golden Touch bar, which fronted for a prostitution ring. There, he fell for working girl Cindy Lake and helped her quit her unsavory profession. Cindy's new lease on life unfortunately was cut short when she interrupted Paul's battle with

mobster Tony DiSalvo, heroically taking a bullet meant for the man she loved.

Wasn't GUIDING LIGHT's Sean living on the island because he was suspected of murdering his wife? Was he ever cleared?

> Pearl Chitina Bethel, Alaska



With a little help from his friends, Sean proved himself an innocent man.

A Sean's wife, Nora, concocted a scheme to fake her own death and frame him for murder, with a little help from his unscrupulous business partner. Thanks to Ben - who as her attornev knew where she'd gone into hiding - the sinister spouse finally was proven to be among the living and poor Sean no longer found himself living his own version of The Fugitive.

Q What can you tell me about the character Michael Swan (Myles, THE

> BOLD & THE BEAUTI-FUL) played on ATWT?

> > Tommy Lezar Carthage, Miss.

A Swan portrayed the sexy Scotsman, Duncan McKechnie, from 1986 to 1995. The millionaire pro-

Duncan left Jessica (then Tamara Tunie) for Bosnia.

prietor of McKechnie Wines & Spirits, he shipped the castle which currently houses the Earl Mitchell Center stone by stone from Scotland. He also coowned The Argus newspaper with Lisa. Over the years, he married the deranged Lilith, spirited Shannon O'Hara, and lawyer Jessica. Eventually, Duncan left Oakdale to do humanitarian work in wartorn Bosnia.



Brandon's crush on Victoria was nothing compared to her feelings for Ryan.

The actor who plays Reese Witherspoon's boyfriend, Skip, in the movie Pleasantville looks awfully

familiar. Did he ever appear on a soap?

> Greg Adamson Seattle, Wash.

Good eye! Before lampooning '50s TV in the hit film, Paul Walker was Y&R's Brandon Collins (no relation to Sharon) from 1992 to 1993. Like the innocent Skip. Brandon also played the patsy for a young

vixen: Victoria. When she snuck off to elope with Ryan, the underage heiress pretended to be college hunting in Chicago with Brandon.

Doesn't GL's recently-returned India have a daughter?

> Marnie Lebbetts Lawton, Okla.

A In 1986, while serving a month's community service at the Stony Lake reform school after getting caught embezzling, India took an orphan named Dorie under her wing. turned to her her little pal, Dorie. home country of



When India re- India's back, but not

Andorra a vear later, Dorie accompanied her. The moppet has not been men-

tioned since India's return to town.

■ How many times has Ridge been married on B&B?

> Alice Jackson-Hurley Shrewsbury, Conn.

A Caroline Spencer, Brooke Logan and Taylor Hayes each has had the special, if transitory, distinction of being Mrs. Ridge Forrester.

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Starta K The hot topic of the week

Question: What do you sing in the shower?

Kelley Menighan Hensley (Emily, ATWT)



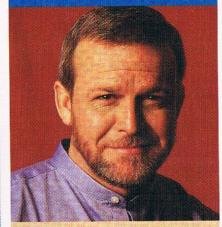
"I always sing songs from They-'re Playing Our Song, the Broadway musical. It's embarrassing. I saw it when I was a little girl, and for some reason, it always sticks in my head."

Buchanan (James, B&B)

"In the shower, I like to sing some Frank Sinatra songs like 'My Funny Valentine' and 'In The Wee Small Hours of the Morning."



Ron Raines (Alan, GL)



"I usually warm up in the shower, since there's a lot of humidity. So I actually do a warm-up and sing whatever songs I'm working on."

Anthony Herrera (James, ATWT)

"Oh, I sing everything from Willie Nelson to Augustine Lara - he's a Mexican composer.'

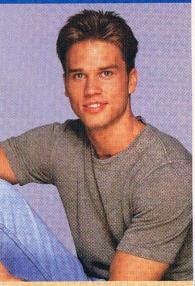


Christian Jules Le Blanc (Michael, Y&R)

"I like to sing anything that moves me. I started with Yes, My Jesus Loves Me,' which lasted for an entire month, and then I moved on to 'Guantanamara."

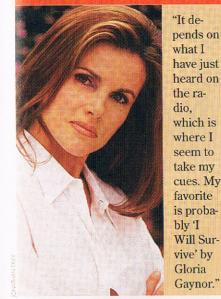


Ryan Brown (Bill, GL)



"I was singing Frank Sinatra's 'Fly Me To The Moon' yesterday."

Alex Donnelley (Diane, Y&R)



what I have just heard on the rawhich is where I seem to take my cues. My favorite is probably 'I Will Survive' by Gloria Gaynor."

Victoria Platt (Vicky,

GL) "I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Outta My Hair.' It doesn't mean anything: I love my boyfriend. But that's usually what I sing in the shower."



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Appearances

AS THE WORLD TURNS

WHO: Michael Park (Jack) appears in Neil Simon's Little Me.

WHEN: Through February 7, at the Roundabout Theatre in NYC.

FOR MORE INFO: Call (212) 719-1300 for tickets.

GUIDING LIGHT

WHO: Host Ron Raines (Alan), plus many other daytime stars.

WHAT: St. Mary's Foundation For Children 12th Annual Dinner Dance.

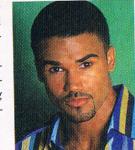
WHEN: Sunday, February 7, from 4 to 9 p.m. EST, at Reception House, in Flushing, N.Y.

FOR MORE INFO: Call Lynda Caira at (718) 463-1600. Tickets \$60; mail check/MO to St. Mary's Foundation for Children c/o Reception House, 160-06 Northern Blvd., Flushing, N.Y. 11358.

THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

WHO: Shemar Moore (Malcolm) and Réal Andrews (Marcus, GEN-ERAL HOSPITAL).

WHAT: Deliver themselves to the highest bidder at The Broadcasting Training Program's Celebrity Bachelor Auction.



WHEN: Thursday, February 4, starting at 6 p.m. PST.

WHERE: The Omni Hotel, in Los Angeles.

FOR MORE INFO: Tickets \$55-\$99. Call (818) 240-3362 or visit www.bachelorauction.com.

Movies & TV

AS THE WORLD TURNS

WHO: Meg Ryan (ex-Betsy), Parker Posey (ex-Tess) and Katie Sagona (Tammy, GL).

ATWT vet Ryan

has two flicks

in theaters.

Who will bid

more for a

date with

Moore?

WHAT: Go on-line with Tom Hanks in the romantic comedy You've Got Mail, now in theaters.

Betsy).

stars with Sean Penn, Robin Wright Penn (ex-Kelly, SANTA BARBARA).

WHO: Meg Ryan (ex-WHAT: Coand Kevin Spacey in the drama Hurlyburly, now in theaters.

WHO: Jordana Brewster (ex-Nikki) and Usher (ex-Raymond, B&B).

WHAT: Contend with aliens among them in the thriller The Faculty, now in theaters.

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL

WHO: Usher (ex-Raymond), Paul Walker (ex-Brandon, Y&R), Debbi Robin Wright Penn (ex-Kelly, SANTA Morgan (ex-Ellen, PC) and Freddie Prinze Ir.

WHAT: Appear in the romantic comedy She's All That.

WHEN: Opening January 29.

GUIDING LIGHT

WHO: Melina Kanakaredes (ex-Eleni). WHAT: Can be seen on the new NBC series PROVIDENCE.

WHEN: The drama premieres Friday, January 8, at 8 p.m. EST.



Panettiere has a Message for her fans in February.

WHO: Havden Panettiere (Lizzie).

WHAT: Appears in the romantic feature film Message In A Bottle, costarring Kevin Costner,

BARBARA) and Paul Newman.

WHEN: The film opens February 12.

WHO: Sherry Stringfield (ex-Blake). WHAT: Plays Mike Meyers' assistant in the disco drama 54.

WHEN: Arriving on video January 12.

WHO: Katie Sagona (Tammy).

WHAT: Appears in the motion picture In Dreams, co-starring Annette Bening and Robert Downey Jr.

WHEN: In theaters January 15.

WHERE TO SEE THE STARS FROM THE OTHER SHOWS

ALL MY CHILDREN

Mark Consuelos (Matéo) and Cameron Mathison (Ryan) appear at the Brokerage Entertainment Club, in Bellmore, N.Y., on Saturday, February 20, at 7:30 and 10 p.m. EST. Tickets \$18; call (516) 785-8655 for reservations.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES

Austin Peck (Austin) greets fans and signs autographs on Saturday, January 30, from 7 to 9 p.m. CST, at the St. Croix

Casino, in Turtle Lake, Wisc. Call (800) 846-8946 for more information.

ONE LIFE TO LIVE

Brynn Thayer (ex-Jenny), Robin Strasser (Dorian) and others celebrate the life of Michael Zaslow with a "Night At The Royale," on Monday, January 25, at the Royale Theater in NYC. The evening features Alec Baldwin in a reading of Love Letters. Tickets start at \$100; call (800) 672-8857 for reservations.

Storyline

AS THE WORLD TURNS

Lily And Holden Face A New Nightmare!

Considering that her parents are fit as fiddles, it's awfully odd that Baby Hope is as sickly as she is. Why, it's almost as if she's not their... nah. As Lily and Holden tried to unravel the mystery of Hope's illness, Ben was busy watching his almost-marriage unravel before his eyes. If the days preceding New Year's Eve are a blur to you, rest your partying peepers on these recaps:



Lily and Holden's holidays were less than jolly. thanks to a mysterious illness suffered by Hope.

HOPE NEEDS HELP

Hope's illness caused Lily and Holden to rush her to the hospital, where they

stand vigil at Hope's bedside, waiting for this latest crisis to pass. In the meantime, nanny Rita's mysterious boss - Baby Melinda's "father" - was able to get his hands on Hope's medical records.

CAMILLE MOVES ON

Camille informed Brad that her wedding had been called off, so Brad invited her to

spend the holidays with his family. Never a big Brad fan, Sara Ruth urged Camille to apologize to Ben and do her



Camille's decision not to walk down the aisle with Ben was met with a counterproposal by the other man in her life, Brad.

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best to win A reluctant Margo joins Tom in trying him back. Meanwhile. to help Emily. John asks Lisa about their chances for a future together.

Ben examined a beating victim named

Denise at the clinic. Later, he faced off with the man he believed was responsible for roughing up his patient. At the church rededication service, Ben and Camille bumped into one another and took the opportunity to inform their friends that the wedding had been canceled. That nasty bit of business behind him, Ben

left in search of the missing Denise. her home, but her ex-lover adamantly Not long after Camille became disengaged from Ben, suitor Brad decided secretly watched by someone outside.

to pop the question.

Perhaps Ben should compare wedding woes with his childhood buddy, Mike Kasnoff. Three years In Depth ago, Mike was all set Plot Point to marry Rosanna Cabot - until her halfsister, Carly, showed up and revealed that she was carrying his baby. Rosanna said, "I don't!" and practically left skid marks as she beat it out of the church, leaving her groom stranded at the altar.

WHO'S OUT THERE?

Convinced she was being followed, Emily tried to get Tom to accompany

Emily tried to get Tom

to watch her back, but he turned a deaf ear to her plea.



refused. While home, alone, Emily was

Meanwhile, Tom and Margo spent a pleasant Christmas with their family. Eddie and Georgia exchanged Christmas presents, but no amount of holiday cheer could cut through the tension which still existed between them.

CARLY GOES INTO HIDING

At her wit's end, Carly decided to forget about the \$50 million trust fund and focus on her baby instead. She decided that she needed to get away from John and surprised Jack by turning up on his doorstep and begging him to hide her. Jack eventually agreed, only to have Julia inadvertently tell John where Carly was.

Storyline continued

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL

Ridge Blows His Top!

Ridge served up a punch to Pierce last week - and we don't mean the kind made with champagne. As you can imagine, Taylor was less than thrilled that her husband picked her boss as a sparring partner. Of course, these two weren't the only ones blowing off steam. In case you were busy ringing in the new year, here's a look back at who was wringing the neck of whom:

RIDGE MISSES THE BASH

Sporting her new dress and diamond necklace, Taylor arrived at the wrap



The long-simmering tension between Ridge and Pierce resulted in heated words and a punch.



Despite being serenaded, Taylor remained blissfully unaware of Pierce's feelings.

party on Pierce's arm. Pierce called the room to attention and announced that he would like to sing a tribute to the person who'd made the new video possible. By the time he finished crooning, it was clear to almost everyone that his song was intended for Taylor. She, how-

> ever, remained clueless. Ridge, meanwhile, was delayed at Forrester, negotiating with Jack Abbott. Ridge was angry that Jack wouldn't commit to the idea of creating a new fragrance and was even more miffed after he wound up missing the party, giving Pierce a leg up with his woman.

TAYLOR DOES THE TWIST

At Pierce's place, Taylor thanked her boss for a wonderful evening and went into the other room to change. Pierce heard Taylor scream and rushed to find her lying on the floor with a twisted ankle. He helped her into his bed and got her an ice pack. In the meantime, Stephanie had paid a

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visit to son Myles is infuriated when he sees Ridge, tell-Kimberly and Rick embracing. ing him how Pierce had Macy finds out that Kimberly is fawned all over Taylor at her half sister. the party. Ridge rushed to Pierce's house and was outraged when Pierce told him that Taylor was asleep in his bed. Without waiting for an explanation, Ridge hauled off and slugged him. Taylor was furious and worried after seeing Pierce's battered face. Pierce. however, said he was fine, and begged Taylor to forget Ridge and to stay with

Pacifism has never been Ridge's strong suit, especially when it comes to his beloved Taylor, Thorne, for example, was on the receiving end of several of Ridge's infamous knuckle sandwiches when he pursued Taylor a while back. Of course, Ridge's brutality didn't deter his brother, and it seems just as unlikely to put off the very persistent Pierce.

ROMEO RICK

him.

Eric told Brooke about Myles' decision to keep Kimberly away from Rick. Brooke worried that without Kimberly's friendship, Rick would be more prone to Amber's scheming. Kimberly called Rick, who said he was

Myles and Kimberly were at odds over

Rick. on his way over. Just as she hung up.

Myles came in, reminding her that she was not to speak to Rick. When Kimberly threw a fit and declared her father's actions as cruel and unfair, he asked if she and Rick had slept

> together. As Kimberly took exception to the question, Stephanie cornered Rick and told him that if he didn't truly love Amber, he shouldn't marry her.

PEEPING MYLES

Lauren showed up at Brooke's to share the details of Pierce's party. Their gossip was interrupted by a phone call from Myles, who vehemently warned Brooke to keep her son away from his daughter. Meanwhile, Rick and Kimberly were together, discussing the Amber situation. Kimberly told Rick not to marry Amber and described how the mother-to-be had attacked her earlier that evening. Rick and Kimberly locked lips just as her father peeked in through the window!

continued

GUIDING LIGHT

India Gets Caught!

The New Year got off to a not-so-auspicious start last week in Springfield. Ross embarrassed his ex, Cassie gave Hart an ultimatum. Teri set up Alan, and Iesse decided to hightail it out of town. If you were too busy singing "Auld Lang Syne" last week to watch these old friends, here's what you missed:

HOLLY WARNS BLAKE!

Penniless, India began checking out whether or not Ross might be able to help her live in the style to which she wanted to become accustomed. But Ross caught her red-handed, looking



When Reva and Josh grew closer to exposing the truth, Teri/Annie shifted suspicion off of herself and onto Alan!



India hoped that Ross might be her ticket back to a champagne and caviar lifestyle.

through his checkbook. Holly warned Blake that her extramarital activities with Ben might very well make her the Nursery Rhyme Stalker's next target. Later, Ross, Blake, Ben and India celebrated New Year's Eve together. Blake wanted to run and hide after Ross made

a toast about how wonderful his new life was without her in it.

CASSIE'S JOY

Reva and Josh welcomed Cassie and her baby home. Later, Cassie told Hart that if he wanted to build a life with her and their child, he first would have to leave his wife. Dinah tried a new tactic to hang on to her not-so-loving husband, re-

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sorting to a hearty dose of complete and brutal honesty in the hopes of convincing him to give her another

TERI ESCAPES

chance.

Poor Teri/Annie spent Christmas locked in Josh's hospital room. Thanks to Bill, though, she was back on the streets of Springfield before the new year began. Meanwhile. Josh and Reva discovered that Josh's

aftershave was what was causing his strange behavior. To cover her tracks, Teri led them to believe that Alan was the culprit behind the laced lotion.

Luckily for Annie, there's enough bad blood between Josh and Alan to make her accusation highly believable. After all. Plot Point the two long have been rivals not only in business, but in love. Alan twice has come in a not-soclose second to Josh in the romance department — first with Reva, and later, with the very woman who is now framing him, Annie.

- Frank confronts Teri.
- Holly has a disturbing vision.

Drew offered up a major sacrifice -Michelle!



ADIÓS, JESSE

Selena was thrilled to finally discover the identity of her daughter, especially since it was someone with whom she

already had developed a relationship of sorts - Drew! But Selena decided to keep the news to herself in order to preserve Drew's memories of her "parents." Michelle was speechless when Danny kissed her in front of Jesse. To protect the

girls from Danny's family, Jesse planned on casting suspicion on himself by leaving town. Drew broke the foursome's promise when she provided Danny with the name of one of Mick's killers: Michelle!

Storyline continued

THE YOUNG & THE RESTLESS

Nick Kisses Sharon!

For some denizens of the Wisconsin hamlet, the New Year didn't dawn any brighter, as couples were still parted, some squared off in court, and others were wondering if it was possible that's where they'd end up. It wasn't easy keeping track of the woes and wonders of the post-holiday season. We did it for you:

CAN SHARON FORGIVE NICK?

Nick told his parents that Sharon, Noah and Cassie would not be joining them for dinner. Sharon later called to thank Nick for the gifts he had delivered earlier, but her husband had already left. Sharon admitted to her mother that she can't stop thinking about Nick's fling

with Grace. Sharon later allowed Nick to stop by for a visit, and he told his wife how much he loves her and the children, then kissed her gently.

GRACE UNDER PRESSURE

Michael informed Grace that her "friend" who reunited a child and birth mother could face kidnapping charges. Millie reacted when Alice told her that she had met someone who could lead



Grace got some legal advice from Michael.

her to Cassie: Grace Turner. Cassie called Millie, and Alice answered. Sharon heard the conversation and disconnected the phone, but not before Alice's suspicions regarding the identity of the caller were aroused.

CARL HAS ANOTHER FLASHBACK!

Even as Charlie toasted his future with



Paul decided that it would be best for his mother, Mary, if his father, Carl, stayed "dead."

Sneak Preview

Plot Point

Mary, Jim/ Diane makes strong romantic moves on Carl told Jack and he responds. But he has more Ruth that he than romance on his mind. had experi-Victor reverses an important decienced a flashsion Jack made and Jack blows his back while sittop. ting in the church and that he Malcolm confronts needed to find the Trev over Callie. answers to his past. Ruth insisted on accompanying him to Genoa City. Paul told Chris that for tells Neil she is ready to move in with Mary's sake, it would be better if Carl him, he suggests they postpone that remained dead. After spotting Mary decision for the moment.

and Paul at the diner, Jim/Carl had another flashback.

CALLIE'S SECRET

When Gina congratulated Callie on landing the gig as backup singer for Aretha Franklin, Callie concealed the fact that she would not be leaving town anytime soon. When Malcolm ran into Callie at Gina's, he

was surprised, but not nearly as

Callie told Gina one thing, and Malcolm another regarding her Genoa City future.

shocked as he was when she gave him a goodbye kiss. Neil admitted to Olivia that although he loves Victoria, he feels threatened by her connection with Cole. When Vicki later

It's a good thing Neil has a level head on his shoulders, because Vicki needs someone to stop her from making rash decisions. After all, she jumped into marriage with Ryan

despite being underage and fully aware of his feelings for Nina, with whom she had competed for his affections.

TONY KISSES MEGAN!

Tricia told Ryan that Megan would not be joining them for New Year's Eve at the Colonnade Room because she plans to wait for Tony at the coffeehouse. When Tony arrived, he kissed Megan and she invited him to go with her to the Colonnade Room. but he insisted he wanted to be alone. After Megan joined Tricia and Ryan, Tony changed his mind and showed up, but was stopped at the entrance to the posh eatery because he was not properly dressed.

Storyline continued

What you missed on all the other shows



ALL MY CHILDREN

Ryan and Gillian made love. Hayley let Raquel move into Wildwind for Max's sake. Tad confronted Palmer after discovering that he planned to leave Opal poverty-stricken. Palmer hired Braden to seduce Dixie, who agreed to go to the Crystal Ball with Braden. Hayley convinced Ryan and Gillian to attend the gala, and shock waves went through the ballroom when they showed up. Erica agreed to be Dimitri's date just to



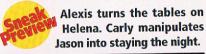
spite Brooke, who had asked the count to be her escort. Dixie convinced Tad to move into Cortlandt Manor in order to protect his mother. David was not pleased to learn that Liza had agreed to give Adam a second chance. Derek and Brooke learned the results of Ryan's DNA test.



Erica witnesses a warm moment between Brooke and Dimitri.

GENERAL HOSPITAL

Nikolas was stunned to overhear Katherine and Helena plotting to drive a wedge between him and Stefan. Nikolas confronted Katherine, who blurted out, "Stefan is your father." Nikolas got a confession out of Stefan, then asked Lucky for a place to stay. Jax and Ned grudgingly agreed to be auctioned off for charity. Jerry turned down a job offer from Helena. Stefan sought Tony's continued help in dealing with Katherine. The Quartermaines crashed Michael's first birthday party. Robin stepped in to play peacemaker, angering Carly. Robin was relieved to learn that she wouldn't be sharing Jason with Carly on New Year's Eve. In Puerto Rico, Mike succeeded in getting through to Sonny. Back in Port Charles, Bobbie blasted Monica for reinstating Tony at GH. Then Bobbie confronted Tony. telling him that no matter how much wool he pulled over everyone else's eyes, he always would be an unfit father in her opinion. Taggert apologized to Monica for blackmailing her. Felicia brought Mac home from the hospital.

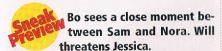






ONE LIFE TO LIVE

Sykes arrested Graham after the senator pressured him to rescind Barbara's arrest warrant. In the bell tower, Barbara realized that Cassie could walk. When Barbara had no luck reaching a compromise with Cassie, the two struggled for the gun. Kevin, Andrew and Joey heard a shot ring out and rushed to the rescue. Cassie threatened to jump, but Kevin and Andrew managed to talk her down from the ledge. An injured Barbara finally was arrested and taken to jail. Bo told Nora that he was ready to move on with his life now that Drew's murder had been solved. While arguing with Lindsay, Sam admitted that he'd slept with Nora. Lindsay told Sam that she would keep his secret if he continued to represent her in the divorce proceedings. Jessica forgave Clint and informed Will that she wanted to give their baby up for adoption. Will urged Jessica to reconsider, then told Roseanne that he was willing to raise the baby on his own. Téa got a note and a key from Todd.



PORT CHARLES

Matt and Ellen hosted a multicultural holiday party. Karen comforted Serena while Scotty spent Christmas searching for Kevin and Eve. Karen also told a stunned Lee and Gail that Ioe was Neil's natural father. Held hostage at Rex's mansion. Kevin pretended to write a new General Homicide chapter, per Cooper's orders. Actually, though, he was sending SOS E-mails to Victor, Serena and Chris. Later, Kevin tried to overpower Julie, but Cooper stopped him. Kevin was knocked unconscious, and Cooper and Julie plotted to seal Eve behind a brick wall. Meanwhile. Joe and Courtney spent Christmas alone on a Greek island as Victor and Mary continued their search for the duo. When Victor read Kevin's E-mail. he called the PC police. Chris enlisted Scotty, Lucy and Frank to join him in a rescue mission.



Karen is moved by Frank's gesture. Lucy and Eve reluctantly join forces again.



Storvline continued

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ANOTHER WORLD

Grant's suspicions intensified after Joe made him and Cindy reenact the shooting. Vicky hovered at death's door, hallucinating about Bridget coming to visit her. Vicky pleaded for a doctor, and Marley asked Cindy for some antibiotics. Cindy registered at a hotel under Vicky's name to throw off Jake and Joe. Meanwhile. Donna remembered what Marley had done to her, and told Jake where he might find his wife. Rachel revealed that the Corv Family Bible was kept in their library, and Jordan made Lila fake a seizure so that he could look through it. Jordan arrived at the Corvs' New Year's party using the name David, and was affected when Cameron and Amanda announced their engagement.



Rachel is intrigued by an encounter with the elusive Jordan Stark.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES

Ali gave Mike an expensive watch for Christmas, engraved with a message of her everlasting love. Mike tried to dissuade her affection, and was uncomfortable when Ali told him

that she was ecstatic about his recent confession of love. What Ali didn't know was that Mike actually had dreamt that it was Carrie in bed with him Carrie and Austin continued to be at odds. When she confided to Mike about her marital problems, he suggested that she might not be working hard enough at her marriage. Carrie was angry and hurt by Mike's assumption. Later, Mike forgot himself in the heat of the moment and confessed his love to her, which he instantly regretted. With her memory back, Sami tried to piece together what really happened on the night of Franco's murder. She surmised that Lucas must have shot Franco after Franco caught him kidnapping Will. Roman begged Abe to reopen the inves-





tigation, but Abe said no. In an effort to force a confession from Lucas, Roman brought a bloody dummy of Franco to the Kiriakis mansion. Lucas convinced Nicole to have dinner with him, but he was shocked when he arrived home and saw the dummy. Roman tried to pressure Lucas into a confession. Kate had a touching visit with Victor. Hope feared that Stefano played a large role in her life while she was Gina. Lilv admitted that Gina had only one great love. Meanwhile, Stefano was afraid that Hope would remember being the one who stole Lilv's art collection. In order to distract Hope from discovering her past before he could turn her back into Princess Gina, Stefano had Shawn-D kidnapped. An infuriated Bo threatened Stefano with dire consequences if anything happened to the boy. Stefano's plans for Vivian, in the meantime, began to unravel when she made a dentist appointment.



Austin and Carrie share a very romantic New Year's Eve together.

SUNSET BEACH

Everyone was relieved when the jewels were restored to the Madonna statue and the curse was lifted. Annie panicked when she thought that the person behind the threatening calls and blackmail attempts had sent Gregory a letter — but this was actually part of Gregory's plan to punish his devious wife. When Caitlin fainted. Cole concluded that she must be pregnant, not knowing that his wife was barren. Maria was terrified by a dream involving the door to the wine cellar at The Deep. When she discussed her dream

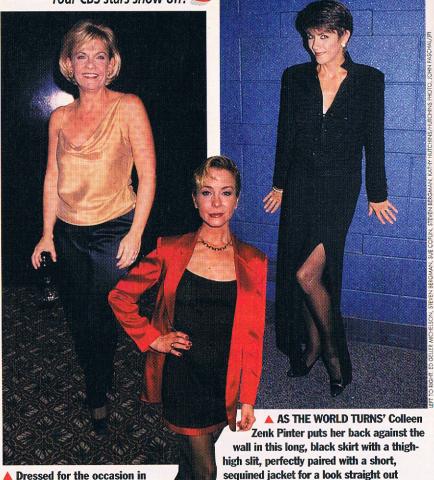


with Ben, he, too, shared a memory about it and encouraged her to go down to the cellar and confront her past. Sara dreamed herself into an episode of CHARLIE'S ANGELS. Afterward, she and Carmen had a heated argument about Maria. No longer willing to dance around his feelings, AI told Olivia that he was in love with her. Bette was speechless, for a brief moment, when Emily's purse dropped and birth-control pills spilled out.



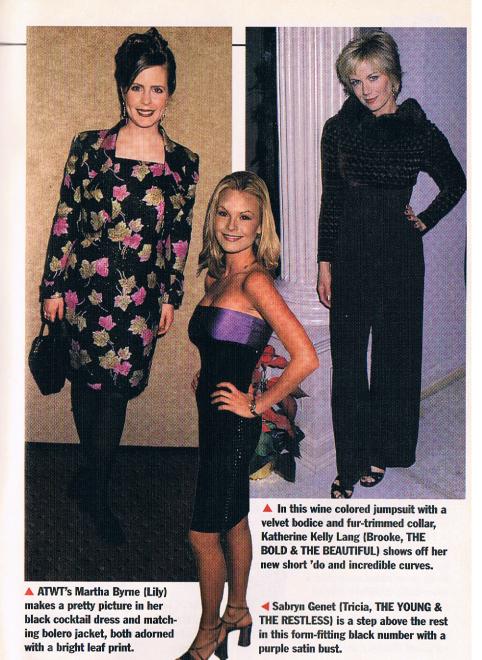
Francesca's decision to stay in Sunset Beach rocks the Deschanel men.

Stars show off!



sequined jacket for a look straight out of Barbara's fashion pages!

> ◀ GL's Signy Coleman (Teri) goes short and chic in a deep maroon cocktail dress with a bold red hem that is perfectly accented by her red satin blazer.



to catch Josh's undivided

attention.

black satin pants and a gold tank shell, Kim Zimmer (Reva,

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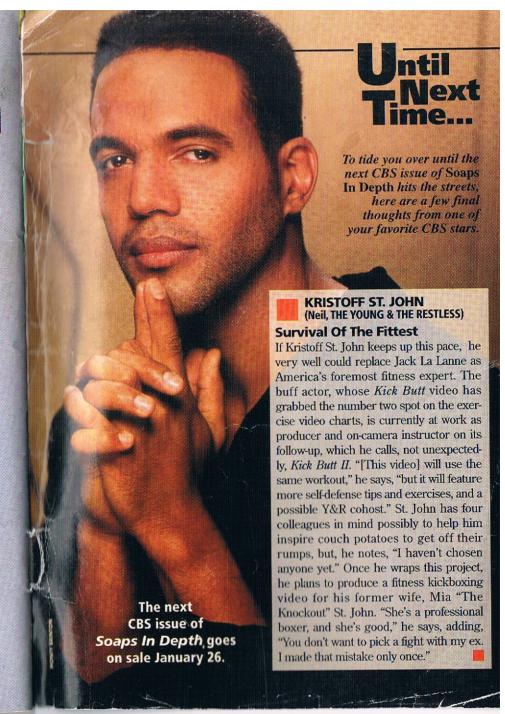
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